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The president's son has already passed the crisis in one lung, and awaits crisis in the other today in better shape.—Page 1.

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Prof. Charles W. Pearson resigns as a member of the faculty of the Northwestern university and the Methodist Episcopal church.—Page 7.

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Six men killed and six fatally wounded in battle between sheriff's posse and a party of lawbreakers under the leadership of Lee Turner, the keeper of a blind tiger near Middlesboro, Ky.—Page 1.

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A violent snowstorm swept over Pittsburgh yesterday evening, and although efforts during the day caused much delay in street car service.—Page 8.

Controller Lewis is being sacrificed in several wards by machine workers. They are bending their energies to save councilmanic candidates from defeat.—Page 8.

Councilmanic campaigns in the Twenty-third and Fourteenth wards are growing in warmth. Women have taken up the fight in the latter and are hard at work.—Page 1.

Contracts were let yesterday by the Philadelphia Company for machinery of great new central power plant to be built on Brunot's Island and for 100 new style summer cars.—Page 1.

Aubrey L. Stowell, who ran away from his home with two other Avalon boys, to join the United States marine service, was killed by a street car in Portsmouth, Va.—Page 1.

Steel rail market shows marked activity of the Louisville & Nashville railroad has to go to England for 30,000 tons, because American manufacturers cannot guarantee delivery.—Page 11.

Honeymoon of Benjamin Heller and his young bride was brought to a sad end yesterday morning by the death of Heller's brother, Saul, who had accompanied them on their wedding journey.—Page 3.

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Literature, colonization and general history were the topics discussed at the meetings of the Sorosis and New Era clubs yesterday.—Page 6.

There is a possibility that Paderewski's new opera, "Manru," will be included among the operas to be presented in Pittsburgh this season.—Page 6.

Topics of world-wide interest and intensity will furnish a gamut of thought for the club women at their general conference at the Twentieth Century club today.—Page 6.

Pittsburgh women are interested in the candidacy of Mrs. F. H. Crossman of New York and Mrs. Bedle of New Jersey for the office of vice presidents general of the Daughters of the American Revolution.—Page 6.

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Mary Southward, charged with keeping a disorderly house, charges a constable with kissing her through cell bars.—Page 10.

SPORTING.

The trotting congress met and adopted stringent rules for the season's racing.—Page 8.

The winners at Oakland: Meroes, Arilvis, Formero, Diderot, Shell Mound and Flanero.—Page 8.

The New Orleans winners: Little Lois, Maverick, McLarch, Intrusive, St. Cuthbert and Malloy.—Page 8.

In the east it is regarded as certain that the National League circuit will be made up of only four clubs.—Page 8.

Ocean Steamship Movements.

Port.	Arrived.	Sailed.
Moville	Parisian	
Brow Head	Westerland	
Hongkong	City of Peking	
Hamburg		Palatia
Queenstown		Lucania
Portland, Me	Norwegian	
New York	Haverford	Teutric
New York	Liguria	Philadelphia
New York		Zeeland
New York		Oceanic
Liverpool	Lancastrian	

TODAY'S AMUSEMENTS.

ALVIN—Julia Marlowe in "When Knighthood Was in Flower," 8:15 p. m.
BIJOU—"When London Sleeps," 8:15 p. m.
ACADEMY—"The Jolly Grass Widows," 2:15 and 8:15 p. m.
EMPIRE—"Piddle Dee-Dee," 8:15 p. m.
GRAND—"Rip Van Winkle," 2:15 and 8:15 p. m.
DUQUESNE—"Tee Scribner Show," 2:15 and 8:15 p. m.
DUQUESNE GARDEN—Afternoon, skating, hockey game, evening, skating.

HOHENZOLLERN ARRIVES A DAY AHEAD OF TIME

Kaiser's Yacht Treats New York to Happy Surprise Party.

SHE DID NOT STOP IN THE BERMUDAS

Capt. A. T. Mahan, the Naval Author, Extends the City's Official Welcome.

AWAITING PRINCE HENRY

[SPECIAL TELEGRAM TO THE GAZETTE.]

NEW YORK, Feb. 12.—The German imperial yacht Hohenzollern, commanded by Admiral Count von Baudissin, arrived here unexpectedly this afternoon, a day ahead of her schedule.

When she sailed from St. Thomas on Saturday cable advices said she would proceed to Bermuda, and after a stay of a day or so in that port proceed to the United States, but like Admiral Dewey she outwitted all those on the lookout and steamed into this harbor ahead of time. Her non-arrival at Bermuda has caused some apprehension that she had met with heavy weather, but it was said today that the entire voyage had been smooth, except that there was a strong westerly gale yesterday.

Just after the Hohenzollern was sighted from the lightship she connected by her Marconi wireless telegraph apparatus with the steamer Kaiser Wilhelm, now in port, and asked that the news of her safe arrival be cabled to the kaiser.

Noisy Welcome to the Visitor.

The delay at quarantine was very slight, and before 1:30 o'clock the big yacht was heading up the harbor for Hoboken, where she was docked about 2 o'clock.

The Hohenzollern was recognized by the shipping in the harbor and nearly all the passing vessels saluted, either with a dip of the colors or with a whistle. Passing craft gave her a noisy welcome with their whistles, and the man at her jackstaff was kept busy dipping her big naval flag with its field of white, black Prussian eagle and black cross. She stood high out of the water and looked impressive beyond her real size.

German flags floated above the docks and warehouses of the North German Lloyd and Hamburg-American line piers, and the ships of those two companies in port were dressed. The bands of the latter assembled on their quarter decks and serenaded the yacht as she lay at anchor.

No Functions Till Prince Arrives.

At quarantine it was said by her officers that the question of their acceptance of any social courtesies prior to the arrival of the prince had not been considered by them, but they did not think it would be possible or proper to attend any function until Prince Henry arrives. He will sail for this country on Saturday.

A revenue cutter soon ran alongside the Hohenzollern shortly after the royal yacht docked. She will be thoroughly overhauled.

Those who went aboard the royal yacht were Gustav Schwab, agent of the North German Lloyd line, and the mayor's subcommittee of six, appointed to welcome the officers of the Hohenzollern. The sub-committee, which was accompanied by the mayor's private secretary, James R. Reynolds, is composed of Capt. A. T. Mahan, Rear Admiral Commodore Rodgers, William H. Baldwin, Jr., Jacob S. Miller, Emil Boss and Col. Whalen.

Capt. Mahan's Welcome.

Capt. Mahan spoke briefly, greeting the admiral and his officers and ship in the name of the people of the city. The admiral thanked the committee, and through its members, the citizens of New York. Private Secretary James Reynolds left the card of the mayor and Capt. Converse of the battleship Illinois made the formal call in behalf of the navy. Wallace Downey, builder of the yacht for the German emperor, for the launching of which Prince Henry is coming to the United States, also called.

The admiral distributed photographs of the Hohenzollern and scenes on her decks, taken at different times when the emperor was aboard, and also gave out printed slips describing the yacht and explaining the purposes for which she was built and maintained by the emperor.

The Hohenzollern steams 19 knots an

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TRACTION LINES LET CONTRACTS FOR EQUIPMENT

Plant on Brunot's Island Will Generate Power for All Light and Trolley Service.

SUMMER CARS ARE ORDERED

Contracts were let yesterday that will cut up most of the $2,000,000 set aside by the Philadelphia Company for needed improvements in the service and equipment of the trolley lines recently consolidated under the Pittsburgh Railways Company. These contracts include the erection of a great central power plant on Brunot's island, and the building of 100 modern summer cars for service during the coming season.

For several days President James D. Callery, his assistant, S. LaRue Tone, and Superintendent John Murphy have been in consultation with representatives of various engineering and car building firms. As a result of these conferences it was announced yesterday evening that the contract had been let for the new cars, that the Providence Engineering Company would build six Rice-Sargent engines with horse power aggregating 20,000; and that the Babcock-Wilcox Boiler Company would erect a battery of boilers aggregating 10,000 horse power.

Great Power Station.

The new central power station is to be built on Brunot's island, almost opposite Woods run. When completed it will be one of the largest in the world and will be the generating point for the power used in all the trolley lines and electric light systems in this vicinity that are under Philadelphia Company control.

Ground will be broken for buildings as soon as the weather permits and a portion of the plant will, it is thought, be in operation by December 1, of this year. The main building will be 500x200 feet and as soon as it is put in operation the Birmingham, Suburban, West End, McKees Rocks, Manchester and McKeesport power stations will be abandoned.

Others Dropped Gradually.

Other stations will be dropped gradually until all the power will be generated in the great plant on the island. At the same time several of them will be kept in shape for operation, in case of an accident to the new plant.

The new summer cars, to the number of 100, must be delivered in May. They will be larger than any summer cars so far seen here, being 42 feet in length, with a seating capacity for 84 persons. The present summer cars seat between 45 and 50. The interior finish on the new cars will be in ash and maple. They will be equipped with four 50-horse power motors each and will carry but one running board. The company promises that they will be put in use on all the lines.

New Closed Cars.

Contracts for 100 new closed cars will be let during the coming week. They will be duplicates of the double truck cars of the Southern Traction Company, now in use on the Hamilton avenue and Butler street lines, but will not be delivered until August.

Eight additional cars were yesterday put on the Center and Negley line and the time between cars reduced from ten to five minutes. Two additional cars have also been put on the Bedford and Wylie avenue lines, reducing the interval between cars to four minutes. It is announced that enough cars will be put on the various West End lines within a week to give the residents of Carnegie, Crafton, Sheraden and Ingram cars at intervals of ten minutes.

Vote against the graft system in politics.

UNION MEN DRIVE THE CHINESE FROM SILVERTON

Secretary of State Hay Asks Gov. Orman of Colorado to Have Them Protected.

[BY ASSOCIATED PRESS TO THE GAZETTE.]

DENVER, Feb. 12.—Gov. Orman today made public the following telegram which he received last Monday from Secretary of State Hay:

"It is reported that the Chinese residents, about 500 in number, have been ordered to leave Silverton, under threat of violence. An appeal has been made through the Chinese minister for their protection.

"The department would be pleased if you would take such action as you may find necessary for the protection of their rights of person, business and property."

Gov. Orman said today that he knew nothing of any trouble at Silverton until he received Secretary Hay's telegram, but he immediately asked the sheriff of San Juan county to send him full particulars of the trouble and to see that no violence shall be done to the Chinese residents there. Until he shall receive a reply from the sheriff, he can take no steps in the matter, further than to assure the state department that he will do all in his power to protect the foreigners.

The Top Burden Is the Limit and Brings Father Pitt to the Dumping Point.

RAN AWAY TO JOIN MARINES AND MET DEATH UNDER CAR

Aubrey L. Stowell Enlisted in Secret, With Two Avalon Boys, Two Years Ago.

ACCIDENT HAPPENED YESTERDAY

Aubrey L. Stowell, aged 21 years, of Avalon, died in the hospital at Portsmouth, Va., early yesterday morning from injuries received the night before in being run over by a street car on the Gilmerton division of the Old Dominion railway. Stowell was serving as a member of the United States marine corps, and was on the old training ship Portsmouth in Norfolk harbor. He was buried yesterday afternoon in the Naval cemetery, with full military honors.

Nearly two years ago young Stowell, with Philip Marks and William Swan, also Avalon boys, ran away from home. They enlisted in the Marine corps in Pittsburgh on July 24, 1900. The boys had always been in love with the idea of serving Uncle Sam, and they pictured a glowing future for themselves. Shortly after the enlistment Swan was sent to Samoa, and Marks was discharged on account of physical disability and is now in San Francisco.

Laid Down on Car Track.

On Tuesday Stowell had shore leave and about 2 o'clock that night he fell asleep on the street car track. He was living near a curve in the street, where there is very little light. A car came bowling along and before the motorman could stop it the front trucks had passed over Stowell, crushing and mangling his left side badly.

He was picked up and taken to the navy yard, and then removed to the hospital, where he died shortly after 4 o'clock yesterday morning. The body was buried in the Naval cemetery, but will probably be exhumed and brought to his home here.

The young man was the son of William P. Stowell, of No. 526 Orchard avenue, Avalon. His father is a well-known citizen of that borough, having served one term as postmaster. Young Stowell and his companions were well and favorably known in Avalon. When they ran away from home their whereabouts were no discovered for several days, and there was considerable anxiety about them.

Were Eager to Serve.

When it became known that they had enlisted in the Marine corps their relatives made strenuous efforts to have them released, as all were under age. However the young men themselves were eager to stay in service, and all efforts to have them released were unsuccessful.

Mr. Stowell was notified of his son's death yesterday morning by the marine surgeon. He immediately telegraphed, asking for particulars, and making arrangements to have the body brought here for interment. Before the message arrived the customary military funeral had been held. The body will probably be exhumed today and brought to Pittsburgh. No arrangements have been made as yet for the funeral, and nothing will be done until it is known just when the body will arrive.

Harry Stowell, a younger brother of the dead man, was drowned in the Ohio river near Davis Island dam last summer. Haskell Stowell, another brother, is in the employ of the Pennsylvania Railroad Company.

Vote against the control of city government by bargain and sale at Harrisburg.

FATAL RAILWAY WRECK.

Engineer of Passenger Train Killed in Collision With Freight Engine.

NEW YORK, Feb. 12.—A passenger train bound from Jersey City to Rahway, N. J., tonight ran into a freight engine in the Pennsylvania Railroad Company's yards at Waverly, near Newark. The freight engine had passed out of a siding directly in front of the passenger train. George Hatzel, the engineer of the passenger, was killed. He remained at his post after he had told his fireman to jump. He was crushed between the wrecked cab of his engine and the side of the boiler, and was burned to death before he could be relieved. His fireman, E. S. Wilson, was severely cut and bruised in jumping. E. C. Jones, conductor to this train, was painfully hurt, as was Samuel Belton, the baggagemaster.

Vote in the interest of the taxpayers and not the taxeaters.

FIGHT IN THE TWENTY-THIRD GROWS WARMER

City Employes Hard at Work in Effort to Defeat W. D. O'Brien.

WOMEN TAKE HAND IN FOURTEENTH

The councilmanic fight in the Twenty-third ward is growing warmer every day. The citizens of the ward are taking an unusual interest in the contest and the vote next Tuesday promises to be heavier than has been cast for years. Dr. W. D. O'Brien, the Citizens party candidate for select council, is getting more confident every day. He feels sure that he will defeat Thomas H. Thorn, the machine candidate.

Dr. O'Brien said yesterday afternoon that reports were reaching him daily from scores of former supporters of the ring ticket, stating that they will support him and the other candidates of the Citizens party. He says that so far as he can see he cannot be defeated, but he added, "You can't tell what the ring will do."

Police officers, firemen and other city employes have been making a canvass in the Twenty-third ward getting a line on the vote. Every man they have any influence with is being approached and urged to come out to the polls, and, of course, to vote for Lewis, Thorn and the other ring candidates.

Working Among Employes.

The statement has been made that employes of Jones & Laughlins, the Baltimore & Ohio railroad and the Pittsburgh Railways company are being influenced to vote the machine ticket. All of these companies have many men living in the ward and their votes will mean a great deal. Dr. O'Brien is surgeon for the Baltimore & Ohio railroad and does not a little work for the Pittsburgh Railways Company. He is personally acquainted with many of the laboring men and all are friendly to him and unless coerced they will cast their votes for him.

For several years past Dr. O'Brien has been one of the city physicians and on the pay roll of the department of charities. His opponents in the ward are trying to make capital out of the fact, saying that he is not a Citizens party man at heart, but will turn in for the ring once he is seated in councils.

Position Not Lucrative.

A position such as Dr. O'Brien holds under the city government is not a lucrative one. Some years ago, when he was first appointed, there had been no city physician in the Hazelwood district for a long time. Hard work and little pay do not attract physicians and many offers of the place were refused. Finally Dr. O'Brien took the place to be of assistance to the numbers of poor people that have to depend on the city physician for medical aid. He said yesterday afternoon that his charity cases have increased since he took the place and that he has given away twice as much yearly as the city has paid for his services.

Dr. O'Brien said yesterday afternoon that he intended to resign at once, probably today or tomorrow. He is tired of the work, as his own practice is as much as he can attend to. Besides his resignation will stop the tongues of the people who are accusing him of being a machine man at heart.

Sermon on Campaign.

The Rev. John M. Gaston, pastor of the Hazelwood Presbyterian church, takes a great interest in municipal politics. He announced last Sunday that he would preach a sermon the following Sunday evening on "How to Vote." The Rev. Mr. Gaston is a deep student and an eloquent speaker. His announcement has attracted a great deal of attention in the Twenty-third ward, and the Hazelwood Presbyterian church will be filled on Sunday night.

Mr. Gaston said yesterday that he would mention no names in his sermon. He will urge first of all that every citizen turn out on Tuesday and cast his vote. The chief thought of his discourse will be the distinction between municipal and national politics. He advocates voting in a municipal election without party feeling. He believes that to the municipality pure government depends entirely on having the best men in office.

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ROOSEVELT'S SON REACHING CRISIS IN BETTER SHAPE

Turning Point in One Lung Already Passed, and in Other Will Come Today.

RECOVERY IS NOW EXPECTED

[BY ASSOCIATED PRESS TO THE GAZETTE.]

GROTON, MASS., Feb. 12.—If Theodore Roosevelt, Jr., continues for the next 24 hours in his present condition his physicians have given the president and Mrs. Roosevelt to believe that their son's vitality will be sufficient for him to meet and pass successfully the crisis in his disease, which is looked for some time tomorrow, and on Friday morning he will be practically out of danger. Tonight he is considered to be better than last night.

This report, which was given out by Mr. Cortelyou at 5 o'clock tonight, was the last of the four issued during the day, none of which was of a discouraging or unfavorable nature. The first came early in the morning and said the night had been a good one, and this was confirmed later, after the morning examinations by the physicians; and in addition it was said that should the favorable condition continue for 18 hours the danger would be passed. Again, at 3 o'clock, word came that the status of the case was unchanged, but that the conditions continue favorable.

After the examination by the doctors tonight Secretary Cortelyou frankly said that the crisis in the right lung—that in the left having been passed—probably would be reached before tomorrow night. So confident are the president and his wife that their son will pass through this crisis in good shape that the president already is making some slight preparations to leave for Washington. Tonight it looks as if he might start some time Friday. Every one at the Gardner house tonight seemed not only cheerful, but jovial, while Mrs. Roosevelt, cheered and comforted by a short but impressive service at 6 o'clock in the chapel, went to her nightly watch in the infirmary in good spirits.

Mr. Cortelyou said tonight that the left lung had cleared considerably during the day, which is a favorable sign.

SHERIFF'S POSSE IN BLOODY FIGHT AT BLIND TIGER

Six Men Killed and Six Mortally Wounded in Attempt to Arrest Lawbreaker.

AN ILLICIT SALOON IS BURNED

[SPECIAL TELEGRAM TO THE GAZETTE.]

KNOXVILLE, TENN., Feb. 12.—Six are dead and six dying as the result of a pitched battle between officers from Middlesboro and mountaineers. The battle, which was the most desperate affray in the history of mountaineer warfare, occurred at 5 o'clock this afternoon at Lee Turner's "Quarter house," a saloon three and a half miles from Middlesboro, Ky., just over the Tennessee line.

One month since Turner had commenced and other goods looted upon, and a few nights since he with friends crossed into Virginia and recovered the property. Today Deputy Charles Hickey summoned a posse of 15 men to arrest Turner at his saloon.

The Louisville & Nashville railroad refused to convey officers to the saloon and they went over the mountains. Turner had heard of their coming and he and a score of his confederates gave the officers a warm reception. The saloon is built of logs, surrounded by a 30-foot fence in which are loopholes, so that inmates can shoot at members. When the officers demanded Turner's surrender the reply was a round of shots.

Charles Cook, who was riding a horse, was shot from a window by Mike Welch, Turner's bartender, and fell dead. Welch himself fell dead a moment later, pierced by half a dozen bullets. Firing then began in earnest. The officers hid behind trees and rocks and peered round after round into the mountain fortress.

John Doyle, a former railroad man, was badly wounded, perhaps fatally, and Simon Bean, also an ex-railroader, was shot in the hand.

The officers closed in on Turner and the gang and managed to set fire to the fortress. Several of Lee mountaineers were driven to the window, but were immediately shot down, the posse surrounding the barricade having determined to let none escape. Lee Turner and several of his friends, however, managed to escape and reached Mingo Mines, eight miles from Middlesboro. Several of his men perished in the flames, but others escaped and have reinforced themselves further in the mountains.

This has been the most exciting day ever known in Middlesboro, notwithstanding the fact that many dreadful battles have been fought within the town limits. Turner is a graduate of Rose Hill college, Va. He is a brother of "Wild Bill" Turner, killed several years since, and is noted for his daring and courage.

The "Quarter House," or Blind Tiger, is known throughout America on account of the number of persons killed within its confines. Deputies returning to Middlesboro tonight from the affray are organizing reinforcements.

It is believed Turner will return and seek revenge for the killing of his men and the destruction of his saloon.

BRESCI A VOLUNTEER.

Assassination of King Humbert Was Planned at New York Meeting Called by Malatesta.

NEW YORK, Feb. 12.—(special)—In a report by the police of this city to the Italian ambassador in Washington and the Italian consul in New York the direct assertion is made that the killing of King Humbert was planned here.

The police have named the men who have conspired with Gaetano Bresci. Many of them are still at liberty. The report which was sent to Baron Fava and which reached Consul Bruteoli soon after Bresci's crime contains a resume of the growth of the Italian anarchist societies in this country.

Just four months to a day before the assassination of King Humbert, the crime was planned in this city. It was at a meeting of anarchists held at a hotel owned by Malatesta, who presided. Among others present were Gaetano Bresci, Gubio Canova, the Grazidei brothers and the Biatto brothers, who are now fugitives, believed to be in Canada. Inflammatory speeches were made and the assertion was shouted that King Humbert must die.

Bresci volunteered his services, saying he was ready to make the sacrifice. For this he was loudly applauded, and Malatesta called for a collection for Bresci to watch the situation and send word when the time was ripe for the blow. Both Bresci and Malatesta kept their word, and King Humbert died the death that was planned for him in New York.

Vote against official protection of vice.

Ohio Bishop in Spain.

SEVILLE, SPAIN, Feb. 12.—The Rev. William Andrew Leonard, bishop of the Protestant Episcopal church of Ohio, has arrived here on his way to Madrid. He is on his customary visit to Episcopal churches on the continent.

LINCOLN THE THEME AT FEAST OF THE LAWYERS

Col. A. K. McClure Pays Him Eloquent Tribute at the Schenley.

CALLED AUTHOR OF PRESENT PROSPERITY

Pittsburgh's Debt to Him Emphasized by the Veteran Journalist.

RECEPTION TO ORATOR

As a fitting close of the celebration of Lincoln's birthday in Pittsburgh the Allegheny County Bar association held its fifth annual dinner at the Hotel Schenley last night. The orator of the occasion was Col. Alexander K. McClure, the veteran editor and personal friend of the martyred president.

Before the banquet an informal reception was held in the parlors of the Schenley in honor of Col. McClure. Shortly after 9 o'clock the members of the association, 100 strong, with their guests of honor marched to the banquet hall where dinner was served.

There was a noticeable absence of floral decorations and the only greenery in sight was a number of small sprigs of asparagus that adorned the tables. Small, banquet lamps with dainty red shades furnished the only ornaments and everything was marked with an air of simplicity.

In the Seat of Honor.

Col. McClure occupied the seat of honor at the speakers' table. Seated near him were Judge Elliott Rodgers, John G. Shafer and R. S. Fraser. Judges Joseph Buffington and Josiah Cohen were seated at table directly adjoining.

The music, furnished by a local orchestra, was one of the features of the evening. Popular airs were played throughout the dinner, and many times the diners became so enthusiastic over the familiar strains of the "Star Spangled Banner," "My Old Kentucky Home," "America" and "Marching Through Georgia" that they arose in their seats and applauded and cheered vociferously.

Near the end of the meal the orchestra, in the middle of a number, started the strains of Kitheleer's Nevin's "Mistress," and instantly there arose a mighty cheer. The piece was applauded time and again, and it was repeated three times.

After the banquet started Mrs. McClure and a party of women friends from Philadelphia took seats in the balcony of the banquet hall and remained until the last address was delivered. Several times they were cheered and they were the objects of many toasts.

Introducing Col. McClure.

A few minutes after 10 o'clock Toastmaster Charles A. O'Brien called the assemblage to order after an enthusiastic reception in the opening remarks he said:

"I am glad to see you here tonight, to honor the memory of the greatest of lawyers and statesmen and the grandest type of American manhood, Abraham Lincoln. It is certainly a matter of rejoicing to all of us that we have with us as the orator of this evening that brilliant editor and distinguished man of the great commonwealth, Col. Alexander K. McClure. I now take great pleasure in presenting him to you."

The cheers and three cheers given in honor of Col. McClure lasted fully five minutes. He made several attempts to speak, but was compelled to wait until the applause and cheering had subsided.

Col. McClure acknowledged his reception very gracefully.

Tribute to Pittsburgh.

"I am profoundly gratified to be present with you tonight," he said, "and to speak to this community on this particular occasion. In Pittsburgh, the most prosperous city in every industry in the entire world. Why was the man that made the foundation for this great prosperity? It was none other than that grandest of all men, Abraham Lincoln."

Col. McClure then took up his subject, "Abraham Lincoln as I Knew Him," and spoke for over an hour. His tribute to the famous statesman was eloquent. He spoke of his moral traits, of his ability as a lawyer, statesman and scholar, of his confidence of his cabinet during his occupancy of the presidential chair, of his great and unbridled confidence in the whole people of his party.

Col. McClure's address was as follows:

The Tribute to Lincoln.

It is fortunate that great men have left records for the study of those that are to follow. Some have made them as great as the fields, some have made them in the statesmen; others have made them in the power and eloquence of the bar, but Lincoln has distanced. You look all over the vast, great land from the eastern to the western sea, from the northern lakes to the southern gulf, and you see no portion that is not sharing, to a greater or less degree, unequal prosperity—the greatest in the history of the world.

The man who inspired this, who laid the foundation of it all to make this great country what it is, was Abraham Lincoln. Those themselves, the orators whom you have greeted with the name and memory of Lincoln. You will find, men, true, honest men and men who were the guard, the true, who brought or helped to preside at all banquets paying Lincoln honor and heart to heart, to testify to the greatness, fidelity and nobleness of that great American statesman. It is well for him to take pause in retrospection and to study the records of the man as we are recalling the setting of the greatest jewel in the crown.

A Wave of Prosperity.

Young men, you are sanguine as every time, and you have seen the several years past the enduring wave of prosperity. Today you see the greatest revolution of the world, surpassing all the possessions of the old world, a crisis in every attribute of advancement. Consider and study the lives that have gone through the gate trials of the past. Study that very remarkable speech as in the dying of the morning sun.

Consider, young men of valor, the life and character of Abraham Lincoln. As a man who struggled amidst to be an all honor, it is wise for young men to study the character and biography of Abraham Lincoln. For no reason has been taught to more eloquence, to speak in public, to converse, than was the simplicity of Abraham Lincoln. He was the purest child the nation ever had. He was the truest work and model. I know that when he went to Washington to assume the chief responsibility, as a simple member of the cabinet started a fund to increase the ability of the orator whose duty it was to speak.

Lincoln Lay in Silence.

There was not a single moment of his youth to either house of congress that believed that grandeur. His subject was buried and his voice and its echoes. Because, in his wisdom, he knew that he could serve in the silence and not for the few moments of the people.

When he went to the presidential chair he was compelled to make a policy for peace. He was compelled to bring it about, and he was the leading genius of secession. It

COL. A. K. McCLURE
of Philadelphia, the Honor Guest at Last Night's Banquet, Who Spoke on "Lincoln as I Knew Him."

EMPEROR WILLIAM
In the Galley of the Hohenzollern, Tasting the Soup Served to the Members of the Crew.

was a question that had been debated from the foundation of the government, a question on which Washington and Jefferson had differed. Many said he had not the ability.

Our young Fourth-of-July orator often spoke of the republic of the world of Greece or Carthage. There were none such. They were democracies. There was no way indicated by which this great republic could meet the question of succession. Lincoln was accused of indifference, of almost everything that was wrong, because he did not announce his policy. What could he do?

Submitted to Criticism.

He submitted to the criticisms of his cabinet, to the criticisms of the public press, till the tears shamed both. He waited until events were ripened and in the meantime those who criticised, those who ridiculed, those who complained of his ability as wanting, waited. When the supreme opportunity came he found what were forced confessions that he was right and they were wrong.

One quality that made him distinguished among all our statesmen, one quality that is for the good men of today should study, was his ability to meet the criticisms of thoughtless men and thoughtless public journals and ridiculous people that infested the land. The power of Abraham Lincoln, the power that made him superior to all men around him, and the one thing that made him triumph over enemies malicious and every attack, was the fact that he moved upon all questions pertaining to the war just as the people by their expressions of sympathy proved to him their solid patriotism.

People Were His Guiding Star.

He kept his eye on the people as his guiding star. Let me say to the young men of the present, do not let yourself be misled in the belief that there can be any better government in this country than that of the sovereignty of the people. Lincoln believed in this. It was not affectation with him. His faith in the people was the strongest element in his character. He believed that he was born close to mother earth; that he was from the people; that he grew up with them, and never severed himself from them no matter how high he rose. At every instance he proved his faith in the fidelity of the people.

I remember Lincoln in a conversation with a few members of congress from the west. After his election the congressman came to regard his people, as they have often been spoken of, as the people of the wild and woolly west, as the first thing this man did on reaching Washington was to be somewhat ashamed of his constituency. In his conversation with Lincoln he apologized for them.

Lincoln's Quiet Rebuke.

Lincoln said in his quiet, grave way: "I think God must have loved the common people or he would not have made so many of them."

He was distinguished as compared with all the public men with whom he was associated. He was the one man who most comprehensively represented the sovereignty of the people. He had absolute faith in them, faith in himself being equal to the task of executing their will.

Upon being elected governor of Ohio Cleveland was invited to see him at his office. I had no candidates to present, no favors to ask.

I found one thing Grover Cleveland wanted most to discuss, safeguarding his party against turmoil and possible revolution and to round out a successful administration. He sought my advice. I did not realize those around him could go on until it was time for him to act. When he had learned the judgment of the people his stand was taken and no power on earth could swerve him from it then.

Lincoln's Great Trial.

Lincoln's great trial came with the dispute of the emancipation proclamation. Looked upon now, his proclamation is logical in course of events. If Lincoln had listened to his advisers then, he would have failed to respond to his conviction that he must issue that proclamation.

I was with him at that time. I said of the proclamation that it would not free a single slave until the army had advanced and made them free. It would lose the party in a valuable state, New York, Pennsylvania, New Jersey, Ohio, Indiana and Illinois and several others. I looked simply then to the political expediency, for at last I saw there was no hope of maintaining the power of the administration under the proclamation. He had been listening.

I knew not how much I impressed him, except that he admitted the political results as I predicted them were right. New York, New Jersey, Pennsylvania, Ohio, Illinois, each gave democratic majorities at the next election, but congress was safe.

Saw Only Its Expediency.

I look back now and see how I simply contemplated the expediency of the moment, regardless of its conflict with the better conviction of the man of purposes, of patriotism and of higher resolve to perform a duty to man and God and make a proclamation that would, at all times and the diffusing light of liberty to all the world. (Applause.) His faith was in the people and in God.

Let me ask the young men of today, to whom it is better for history to turn back to one most imposing pages in the record of the civil war, to the decisive battle of Gettysburg, where, after five days of desperate struggle the final conclusion came, Edward Everett was called to pay tribute to the victory, or to the address that is no more polished, nor more beautiful oration in our land.

Many Accomplished Orators.

The assemblage was to listen to all the eloquence of one of the most accomplished orators in the country. It was beautiful, classic, exquisite. It was beautiful as the marble statue, and just as cold. It was not the art of the orator to speak; it was the part of the people. They heard him, they enjoyed the beautiful expression, but who has ever quoted his sayings in this speech or has picked out a single sentiment?

When he has finished his address Abraham Lincoln stood unsurpassed personally, rude in the art of eloquence, but he spoke from his heart to the hearts of the people. No one who heard that speech will ever forget a line of it.

It has been repeated by every school boy and girl and quoted by every orator. In it there was the heart of the leader of the people, leading to the hearts of the people who were trial and sacrifices were engaging all. A beautiful story is told in his own manly and simple words that closed his address, of the government of the people, by the people, for the people shall not perish from the earth.

Following the speech of Col. McClure the Hon. John D. Shafer, judge of common pleas court No. 2, spoke on the "Court Room as Seen From the Bench." "The Lawyer of the Past and Present" was the subject of the Hon. S. S. Mehard's address and Attorney George R. Wallace responded to the last toast, "The Court Room as Seen From the Bar."

The committee in charge of last night's affair consisted of the following members of the Allegheny County Bar association: Charles A. O'Brien, chairman; Thomas S. Brown, Charles P. Orr, Starling W. Childs, William H. S. Thompson and Albert York Rauch, secretary.

DEPEW EULOGIZES THE LIFE WORK OF M'KINLEY

Eloquent Address at Lincoln Day Banquet of the New York Republican Club.

[BY ASSOCIATED PRESS TO THE GAZETTE.]

NEW YORK, Feb. 12.—There was a general suspension of business in the financial district of this city today in honor of the ninety-third anniversary of the birth of Abraham Lincoln. There were several banquets tonight, the principal one being that of the Republican club. The toasts and those responding were: "Abraham Lincoln," James Willis Gleed of Topeka, Kan.; "A Tribute to McKinley," Senator Chauncey M. Depew; "The Republican Party," Lieut.-Gov. Woodruff; "The Conquerors," Cresswell MacLaughlin.

Senator Depew's address was a eulogy of the late William McKinley. He said in part:

Statesmen and Opportunities.

The story of government is a pathetic recital of the neglected opportunities of statesmen. The crisis passes which wisely turned would have added to the glory and greatness of the country. The United States has been singularly rich in men for emergencies. Though lacking the heredity, experience and training of the old world, they have been illustrious examples of wonderful achievement. Washington had no predecessor and left no successor. Hamilton provided the principles for a strong government with no precedents to guide him, and from them grew the constitution and union, which John Marshall perfected by his matchless decisions. Webster made popular by his majestic eloquence, and Lincoln saved by rare native gifts and unequaled genius for guiding a nation through the perils of civil war and the destructive forces of evolution.

Genius Made Manifest.

The triumphant issue of the war with Spain lifted our country in a hundred days from the isolation of its western hemisphere and the condition of a continent to the responsibilities of colonial empire and a foremost position in the family of nations among the great powers of Europe. The president had never been abroad, never given any attention to foreign affairs or the government of alien peoples and for 40 years had concentrated his mind upon purely domestic questions. Action must be quick and decisive. We were forced to acknowledge that our institutions were wanting in elasticity for the situation and in the essential elements of sovereignty which constitute government, and we as a people were unequal to the peaceful administration of the results of the victories of our army and navy.

Guided the Ship of State Safely.

With the calmness of conscious powers, without effort which might excite the public and create financial distrust and industrial paralysis, the president so safely formulated measures for the pacification of Cuba and preparations for its independence, and for the government of the Philippines, Hawaii and Guam that the most delicate and difficult task of creating constitutions and institutions under untried conditions seemed to an astonished world but an ordinary process of peaceful administration.

Happily for him before the dread summons came the realization of his life work, his aspirations and his hopes were complete. The assassin struck him down at the moment when the splendors of the fruition of his labors were crystallized by his death into a halo of immortality.

Vote against the use of public patronage to corrupt and intimidate voters.

MINISTER WU SPEAKS AT LINCOLN BANQUET

Says Our Civil War Was a Good Thing and Makes a Plea for China.

[BY ASSOCIATED PRESS TO THE GAZETTE.]

GRAND RAPIDS, MICH., Feb. 12.—The Lincoln club of this city celebrated the birthday of Lincoln tonight with a banquet, Congressman William Alden Smith bringing a number of guests from Washington. The principal guest was Minister Wu.

The Chinese minister was warmly welcomed when he arose to respond to a toast. He said in part:

I am inclined to think that the civil war was not altogether a bad thing for this country. Besides being the amount of wealth destroyed by fire and sword, and the quantity of blood spilled on the battlefield, the war was undoubtedly an appalling calamity. But balanced by the glorious results achieved, chief among which was the settlement of the slavery question, the war was not an unmixed evil.

What a change in the condition of things from what they were no further back than two or three decades ago. Then the industries of the country required government protection for their healthy growth. Now American products and manufactures can hold their own not only in domestic but also in foreign markets. Then the United States was content to keep aloof from the rest of the world. Now you are not to be satisfied with anything less than a world power. It is the irresistible logic of events that has brought about the new order of things.

The question now is whether you Americans realize the change. Fortunately you have men at the helm of affairs that can grasp the full meaning of the new problems which confront the nation. President McKinley sounded the keynote to the present situation when he said, "The period of exclusiveness is past. Reciprocity treaties are in harmony with the spirit of the times." Now can not this grand principle of reciprocity be applied to the intercourse between China and the United States? It is not merely a matter of sentiment, but also a matter of business that should be done.

In order to pave the way for interchange of friendly offices—for the profitable employment of American capital and American energy in the development of China to the advantage of both—the establishment of good feeling between the people of the two countries is a primary requisite. There should be perfectly fair dealing, there should be no invidious discrimination of any kind whatever. Then will there be mutual helpfulness between the old empire and the youthful republic. Then both countries will reap the benefit of genuine reciprocity.

Congressman Smith acted as toastmaster, and speeches were also made by Congressman Cousins of Iowa, Congressman Landis of Indiana, Henry D. Estabrook of Illinois and the Hon. Amos T. Dilder of Wisconsin.

AT LINCOLN'S RESTING PLACE

Appropriate Services Held at the Monument at Springfield, Ill.

SPRINGFIELD, ILL., Feb. 12.—At the national Lincoln monument this afternoon, on the anniversary of the birth of the martyred president, hundreds of gray-haired soldiers laid floral offerings on the sarcophagus. The exercises were under the direction of the Stephenson Woman's Relief Corps. They consisted of the singing of "America," a prayer and addresses by Col. Charles F. Mills and Col. James S. Felton. Mrs. E. D. Johnson, wife of Maj. Johnson, custodian of the Lincoln monument, read an address, and Mrs. McClain, representing the Broe Woman's Relief Corps, colored, recited Lincoln's favorite poem, "Oh, why should the Spirit of Mortal Be Proud." The assembly sang Julia Ward Howe's "Battle Hymn of the Republic."

NAVY IS ALL SERENE.

Secretary Long Makes That Statement in Lincoln Day Address at Boston.

BOSTON Feb. 12.—Secretary of the Navy John D. Long was the principal speaker at the Lincoln day banquet of the Middlesex club in this city. The secretary began his address by stating that all the departments in Washington were working harmoniously for the good of the country and he referred especially to the serenity now existing in the navy department. He referred in laudatory terms to President Roosevelt and said that no one can be associated with him without feeling how devoted he is to the welfare of his country.

He said of Lincoln that the best way to honor his memory was to emulate his spirit of liberality in interpreting the constitution. He closed with an eloquent tribute to the late President McKinley.

Other speakers were Gen. Sickles, Capt. John Bordman, U. S. A., and Roscoe Conkling Bruce, a colored student.

Cast a postscriptless ballot.

FORAKER AT YOUNGSTOWN.

Ohio Senator Made a Speech at Lincoln Day Banquet.

YOUNGSTOWN, O., Feb. 12.—(Special.)—Senator J. B. Foraker was the guest of honor at the Lincoln day banquet of the Foraker Republican club tonight. He responded to the toast "The Republican Party." In his speech he sounded his allegiance to Roosevelt. "The Republican party does not claim support because of what Lincoln did," he said. "When it comes to the next election it will claim suffrage because of what Roosevelt and those surrounding him did."

The Hon. R. W. Tayler responded to the toast "Lincoln," eulogizing the patron saint of the party. F. A. Hartenstein responded to "Our Guests and Our Clubs." The Hon. R. M. Wanamaker of Akron responded to the toast "The Great American Triumvirate," and S. C. McNab talked on the "Young Man in Politics."

Vote to remove Pittsburgh from the political bargain counter.

EXERCISES AT CHICAGO.

Prominent Orators Extol the Memory of Abraham Lincoln.

CHICAGO, Feb. 12.—Memorial exercises in honor of Abraham Lincoln were held here today on a scale surpassing that of any previous local celebration of the anniversary of his birth.

In the evening there were a number of banquets, one being given by the Marquette club.

The speakers were Lafayette Young of Iowa, Curtis Guild of Boston, United States Senator McLaurin of South Carolina and Philip Campbell of Kansas.

Vote to send the Stone machine to the scrap heap.

Lincoln Banquet at Youngstown.

YOUNGSTOWN, O., Feb. 12.—Senator Foraker and Congressman Tayler were the principal speakers at the Lincoln banquet of the Foraker club in this city tonight. Senator Forsker's speech was devoted largely to Republican policies dealing with Cuba, Porto Rico and the Philippines.

TRIED TO KILL HIS WIFE AND HIMSELF

Valdera Vidondo's Bullets Failed to Carry Out Their Murderous Intention.

Valdera Vidondo, an Italian residing in Carnegie, attempted to kill his wife last night. His poor aim caused the bullet to enter the left breast of Joe Stela. When set upon by his father-in-law and several boarders he turned the weapon upon himself and fired a bullet into his head. While his wounds were being dressed, he made another attempt to kill his wife, but the shot went wild.

Vidondo separated from his wife several years ago, and she resided with her father, Vensonio Vitvellano, near the Superior Steel Works, Carnegie. Vidondo learned of his wife's whereabouts last night and attempted to carry out a threat of killing her.

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FIGHT IN THE TWENTY-THIRD GROWS WARMER

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and he says that there should be no bonds of party to restrain a man voting for the best candidate.

Candidates Own Property.

The standing of the various councilmanic candidates has been commented upon a great deal. The Citizens party men are all large property holders in the Twenty-third ward, and for that reason will have the best interests of the people at heart. It is said that of the machine candidates, C. C. Kohne, who wants to be re-elected to common council, is the only property owner.

The Fourteenth ward never saw such a campaign as the one now being waged there. Women have given way before the popular enthusiasm and are hard at work. Social gatherings of every kind have taken on a political aspect and the despairing fight of the machine against James J. Booth finds its place in every conversation.

Machine workers have not been slow to take advantage of this new phase. They are fostering it. Young women are offered positions as school teachers and places as clerks in the city employ in consideration of work they will do. Members of the Pittsburgh orchestra have good reason to know this. They are besieged a dozen times a day for their votes.

Payroll Steadily Growing.

The number of city employes in the ward has doubled, it is said, since the campaign opened. Formerly there were 150 or so payroll men in the ward. Now there are 300. Citizens' party workers believe that the number will have reached 500 before the day of election arrives.

The number of absentees at roll call at No. 4 police station is attracting attention throughout the ward. So many of the men are doing duty at meetings and on the streets in plain clothes that the decrease in the size of the squads as they go on duty is noticeable even to a layman.

One man, formerly on the police force in the Oakland district, was approached yesterday by a machine worker and told that it was not too late for him to get back on the force if he wanted to. All he had to do was to promise to work for the organization. He refused.

One resident of the ward who has two daughters that teach in the city schools has been approached by no less than ten machine workers since last Saturday. He was assured by each that if he did not do what he could for the organization his daughters' positions would be imperilled.

Friends of Mrs. C. L. Magee deny the published stories that she favors the machine ticket. She has a great number of friends in the Fourteenth ward and many of them have been the recipients of her benevolence. They say they have received assurances from her that she does not favor the machine ticket.

A vote for reform is a rebuke to the postscript governor.

DIED FROM INJURIES.

John Smith Was Ejected from Saloon and Was Found Fatally Hurt.

John Smith, aged 59 years, died yesterday morning at his home, No. 59 Villa street, Allegheny, from injuries sustained when he was ejected from Klein's barroom, Chestnut and O'Hara streets, Allegheny last Thursday. While being put out of the barroom he fell down the steps striking his head against a telegraph pole. He was taken home by friends, where he remained in a dazed condition until Dr. John S. Phillips was summoned on Sunday.

The physician found the man to be suffering from concussion of the brain and desired to operate upon the victim, but the family objected. Without regaining consciousness he died yesterday morning.

The matter was reported to the police yesterday by the doctor and an investigation made. The police department claim that he was escorted from the saloon by Reinhardt Heck, a sub-policeman, but not on duty, and that he slipped and fell on the icy steps. He regained his senses and entered the saloon where he drank a glass of water and a glass of seltzer.

Friends say they found him lying on the street and took him home. They told his wife that he had fallen on the street.

A vote for the Stone machine is a vote for higher taxes and more bonds.

George S. Schoyer in Florida.

TAMPA BAY, FLA., Feb. 12—(Special.)—Among prominent arrivals today is George S. Schoyer of Pittsburgh.

ON THE YACHT HOHENZOLLERN.

Dining Saloon on the German Emperor's Yacht, with Chief Steward and His Assistants.

TROLLEY LINES SOLD TO LIGHTEN HEAVY BURDEN

Two Everett-Moore Trolley Properties in Northern Ohio Find Purchasers.

PAPERS ALREADY SIGNED

Chairman Newcomb of the Committee in Charge of Syndicate's Affairs Confirms Sale of Canton-Akron and Canton-Massillon Systems

[BY ASSOCIATED PRESS TO THE GAZETTE.]

CANTON, O., Feb. 12.—It is stated by an authoritative source that the Northern Ohio Traction Company, the Everett-Moore syndicate and Henry Everett have disposed of their interests in the Canton-Akron Street Railway line now being constructed between Akron and Canton, and the Canton and Massillon city street car systems, as well as the Canton-Massillon Interurban line now in operation, with the extension to Navarre, five miles south from Massillon. Papers for the consummation of this deal are said to have been drawn up and signed and the transaction closed to all intents and purposes.

The Canton-Akron property was purchased on option several months ago by the Northern Ohio Traction Company, of the Everett-Moore syndicate, from the Canton-Akron Company. It was stated at the time that an option for $30,000 or more was paid by the Everett-Moore people to guarantee their taking the property at the agreed price when it was completed and put in operation. The Canton-Massillon properties were secured later by a purchase of the stock of the Canton-Massillon Electric Railway Company in the interest of the Everett-Moore syndicate. The present purchasers of both properties are said to be a syndicate composed of the banking house of Tucker & Anthony of Boston, L. E. Myers of Chicago and eastern capitalists. The transaction will involve something over $1,500,000.

CLEVELAND, O., Feb. 12.—Chairman Newcomb of the bankers' committee in charge of the Everett-Moore affairs, said this afternoon: "It is true that negotiations have practically been closed with Boston people for the sale of the Canton-Akron and Canton-Massillon lines."

HOHENZOLLERN ARRIVES A DAY AHEAD OF TIME

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hour and might be mistaken for an Atlantic liner or a man-of-war. She is constructed of steel, has a ram and eight quick-firing Krupp guns. In contrast, there are the emperor's cabins on the middle deck amidships, lighted by electricity and furnished with telephones. The emperor has a bedroom, dressing room, bathroom, smoking room, music room and library, a dining room upholstered in gray and white and adjustable to any size company by a clever arrangement of portieres. There is a family salon in blue and silver, a council room, a work room for the emperor, a sumptuous boudoir for the empress, and in her chamber a dainty bedstead of nickel hung with gray satin. The whole is a marvel of comfort and luxury. The walls of the various saloons are filled with works of art, many paintings done by the hand of the kaiser himself and his brother Prince Henry. There are only two portraits, those of Bismarck and Von Moltke.

Prince Henry will occupy the imperial suite and sleep in the kaiser's bed while here. The band of the Second Naval division of Germany will be not the least noteworthy feature of the fetes on the Hohenzollern. It is the crack band of the German navy.

Vote against the system of allowing city contractors to appoint the public officials who inspect their work.

GERMANS FAVOR LARKIN.

Anti-Machine Candidates Will Receive Large Preparation of Their Suffrages.

"The Germans of Pittsburgh will give the Citizens' ticket a great vote next Tuesday," said H. C. Bloedel, a prominent German and member of the Pittsburgh Brewing Company, "The Germans are never partisans," said Mr. Bloedel. "They believe that partisan politics is destructive of good government, and are strongly opposed to rings and bosses. The German element of Pittsburgh is undoubtedly for the independent movement in this campaign, and the largest bulk of the German vote will be cast for the Citizens' ticket."

The colored voters of the Seventeenth ward packed the rooms of the McClelland club, No. 4111 Penn avenue, last night at a Citizens meeting. Robert Fulton, a colored man, presided. Speeches were made by Dr. Clifton, H. A. Lafe, W. H. Monohan, Hugh Ferguson and Robert H. Stadelman.

The citizens of the Fifth ward held a well-attended meeting at Hibernian hall in Lytle avenue last night. It was presided over by P. B. Riley. L. S. Levine was the first speaker.

Andrew Fulton said that he had been accused of not being in sympathy with the Citizens' movement, but that he would go further and say that he was for the entire Citizens ticket with John B. Larkin at its head.

Brief addresses were made by P. J. Berry, candidate for select council, W. J. Brennen and Jere Dougherty.

Tonight's meetings:

Twenty-eighth ward, Turner hall, South Thirteenth street: John Marron, George W. Guthrie, James M. Dunn.

Fourteenth ward, Soho school: Joseph H. Vitchestain, W. J. Brennen, Charles E. Whitesides.

Nineteenth and Twenty-first wards, Garfield school: Ralph M. Strawbridge, Robert H. Dougherty, Daniel J. Hotes, J. M. F. Foster, George H. Stengel, Marlane Conellere.

Eleventh ward, Moorehead school, Granville and Enoch streets: John E. Larkin, E. W. Guthrie, Capt. F. Y. Breck, C. A. O'Brien, Joseph M. Vitchestain.

The Citizens party of the Twelfth ward will hold a mass meeting tomorrow night in the Springfield school on Charlotte street. W. J. Brennen, Esq., J. M. Dunn and others will speak.

The Ninth and Tenth wards Citizens party will hold a mass meeting in the Ralston school, Penn avenue, tomorrow night. Maj. A. M. Brown, Ralph Strawbridge and others are scheduled to speak.

FIGHTING FOR RANSOM.

Miss Stone's Captors Attacked by Other Brigands—Twenty Slain on Each Side.

PARIS, Feb. 13.—Referring to the reported engagement between brigands for the possession of Miss Stone, the Constantinople correspondent of the Echo de Paris says:

"The captors of Miss Stone and Mme. Tsilka have been attacked by another band of brigands, seeking to secure the prisoners in order to get the ransom. Twenty men on both sides were killed during the fight, but the original captors of the missionary were victorious. Miss Stone was not hurt."

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To assist digestion, relieve distress after eating or drinking too heartily, to prevent constipation, take
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THE WEATHER.

Time of sunrise today..... 6:56 a. m.
Time of sunset today..... 5:31 p. m.

Daily report for yesterday furnished by the United States weather bureau:

Time	Bar.	Temp.	Hum.	Wind	Weather.
8 a. m.	29.24	20	78	N. W.	Snow
8 p. m.	29.08	21	100	N. W.	Snow

Comparative temperature and precipitation for six years.

	1901	1900	1899	1898	1897	1896
Maximum	31	50	5	35	42	40
Minimum	14	40	2	37	32	18
Mean	22	43	2	46	37	29
Precipitation	.04	.17	.05	.07	1.50	

Maximum temperature (4 p. m.)..... 26
Minimum temperature (8 a. m.)..... 14
Mean temperature 22
Normal temperature (for 31 years)..... 34
Deficiency in the temperature for the day. 12
Deficiency in the temperature since Feb. 1 142
Deficiency in the temperature since Jan. 1 142
Normal precipitation (for 31 years)..... .10
Precipitation for the day ..... .05
Deficiency in precipitation since first mo. .05
Deficiency in precipitation since Jan. 1. 2.31

Government Weather Report.

WASHINGTON, D. C., Feb. 12.—Forecast for Thursday and Friday:

Western Pennsylvania—Clearing and slightly colder Thursday; Friday, probably fair; fresh northwest winds.

West Virginia—Fair in west, snow in east portion Thursday; Friday, fair, northwest winds.

Ohio—Fair Thursday and probably Friday, except snow in northeast portion Thursday; light to fresh northwest winds.

Observations taken at weather bureau stations at 8 p. m.

Pittsburg	21 Snow	Norfolk	42 Clear
Cincinnati	26 Cloudy	Memphis	54 Clear
Parkersburg	24 Cloudy	Louisville	28 Clear
Buffalo	22 Cloudy	Vicksburg	54 Pt. Cldy
Indianapolis	18 Clear	Nashville	42 Clear
Washington	30 Cloudy	Cheyenne	48 Cloudy
Chicago	24 Clear	Denver	56 Cloudy
Cleveland	24 Cloudy	Pueblo	60 Pt. Cldy
Kansas City	28 Clear	Salt Lake	40 Clear
New Haven	34 Snow	Omaha	24 Cloudy
Chicago	26 Cloudy	Rapid City	38 Cloudy
Detroit	30 Clear	Huron	36 Cloudy
Milwaukee	26 Clear	Dodge City	48 Pt. Cldy
St. Louis	30 Clear	New Orleans	56 Cloudy
Philadelphia	30 Cloudy	Cleveland	18 Cloudy
New York	30 Clear	Marquette	22 Snow
Buffalo	32 Clear	St. Paul	24 Cloudy
Des Moines	28 Cloudy	Bismarck	16 Cloudy
Montgomery	52 Clear	Helena	34 Snow
Jacksonville	52 Clear		

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From 5 to 9 p. m. at Carow's Restaurant and Dairy Lunch, 24 Union street, seven doors to the right of Diamond Nat. Bank.

DIED.

GROETZINGER—On Wednesday, February 12, 1902, at 11:30 o. m., at his residence, No. 811 Sherman street, Allegheny, Pa., ERNEST JULIUS GROETZINGER, in his 36th year.

Notice of funeral later.

E. W. Grove.
This signature is on every box of the genuine Laxative Bromo-Quinine Tablets the remedy that cures a cold in one day

WAR RELICS
purchased at the recent Government sale of
ALLEGHENY ARSENAL.
MUZZLE LOADING MUSKETS, $2.00 to $6.00
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A. G. PRATT & CO., 507 WOOD ST.
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All of these arms and relics are genuine souvenirs of Mexican and Civil war times; a few muskets of earlier date, 1824 to 1839. They will be sold for less ordered to the Government, and are the only relics of the kind from Allegheny Arsenal disposed of by the United States Sales for a few weeks only, when goods will be sent East.
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Particular men appreciate particular service when it comes to their clothes—
That's why they send them here to be cleaned and pressed.
DICKSON, The Tailor,
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Winter Clothing for Men, Women and Children
has not been as cheap this Winter season as it is now.
Furs have not been as cheap as they are now.
It is the little prices on goods of a high grade that are helping us to make room for incoming goods for Spring.
And Spring goods are tripping in wonderfully fast. Not any faster than we would have them, nor faster than the trade of this store demands. Still there are lots of seasonable goods here that people want—and we don't want.
Come for them—and buy them away below what the goods are worth.

The Choicest Furs at Greatly Reduced Prices.
In our Fur department we have very choice and elegant specimens of Russian Sable Furs, comprising Scarfs and Muffs. We are anxious to sell them this month. We will not quote prices here, but would be pleased to have people come and examine the sable fur pieces. Prices will be found much lower than anyone would imagine.
The same remarks hold good for finest qualities Sealskin and Persian Jackets and Coats.
We are selling these fine furs every day—and want to sell more—and will do so just as soon as people see the pieces and realize how good they are and how low priced.

Women's Winter Coats—Short, Three-Quarter and Full Lengths.
Never was a better time to get a stylish coat than just now. We're selling them for less than we should—but we would rather the people would have them for a trifle of what they formerly sold for than that we should be compelled to put them by for another season. We wouldn't do that under any circumstances. So here are the coats for the most substantial of underprices.
Ulsters of cheviot, covert, broadcloth and kersey—the popular oxford gray. Some have body and sleeves lined, others entirely lined. $10, $15 and $20 for those that sold for $18, $25 and $30.
Three-quarter length coats, black and oxford gray cheviot and kersey. $10, $12.50 and $15 for those that sold for $18, $20 and $25.
27-inch coats, black and tan kersey and cheviot, $12.50 and $15; formerly sold for $18 and $22.
Short Jackets of black kersey and cheviot, lined throughout with black satin. $7.50 and $10, formerly sold for $12.50 and $18.

Imported Cottons Again.
A little of the new introduced between the old. This time it is D. & J. Anderson's colored Madras Shirtings.
Several hundred pieces just out of the Custom House yesterday. Exclusive styles and colors. This madras appeals to both men and women. To men for stylish shirts. To women for shirtwaists and shirtwaist suits. Much of it just right for children's dresses.
This late arrival makes the enormous stock of imported Summer Cotton Fabrics larger and more attractive than ever, and its equal is not to be found anywhere. We say this advisedly.

Reynier Kid Gloves.
Still more news of the new. Our Spring importation of this famous glove, which is confined to us for Pittsburg, is just received.
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The prettiest of new tints for Spring, together with black and white, represented in all the various grades of Reynier suedes and glaces.

Ping Pong.
The new indoor game. Lawn tennis transferred to parlor or library or sitting room. Enough fun and skill to keep the whole family employed every evening.
And good recreation, too. The best kind.
We have a fine assortment of this new English game—enough to last for a short time. There's more on the way.
Selling rapidly—showing that people have willingly taken it up. Inexpensive for the amount of pleasure received.

Fine Furniture for Reduced Prices.
In spite of large selling the last thirty days, the fifth floor Furniture department still has a very large collection and pleasing variety of styles in high-class furniture suitable for every room in the house.
The low prices make this Furniture department especially attractive during this month.
Specimen quotations are herewith given.
Parlor Tables, of inlaid mahogany, formerly $12, $14, $16, $20 and up to $50, are reduced to $8.60, $11.20, $12.80, $16 and $40.
Parlor Tables—Vernis Martin subjects—formerly $12, $16, $25 and $30, are reduced to $9.60, $12.80, $20 and $24.
Wood seat Rockers of inlaid mahogany, formerly $15, $18 and $28, are reduced to $12, $14.40 and $22.40.
Rush seat Rockers of mahogany, formerly $10, $13.50, $15 and $18.50, are reduced to $8, $10.80, $12 and $14.80.
Tabourets, in burnt wood effects, are reduced from $7.50, $9.50, $11 and $10, to $6, $6.80, $7.20 and $8.
Davenport Sofas, sold formerly for $72, $80 and up to $150, are reduced to $57.60, $64 and on to $120.
Mission Furniture—Rockers that sold for $6, $11, $12 and $17, are reduced to $6.40, $8.80, $9.60 and $13.60.
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The Largest Jewelry Establishment in Pittsburgh.
We have in our reduction sale two fine
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Also a beautiful collection of China Clocks at greatly reduced prices.
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Governor Stone Scored--Country Roads Blocked

SCHOOLS DEPRIVED OF SHARE OF REVENUE

GOVERNOR IS SCORED

Appeal for More Funds Made at Directors' State Meeting.

[SPECIAL TELEGRAM TO THE GAZETTE.]

HARRISBURG, PA., Feb. 12.—"The public school system of Pennsylvania is not receiving its full share of the state revenues to which it is entitled by law," said ex-Representative C. Tyson Kratz of Norristown in an address on "The School Appropriation" today at the annual meeting of the Pennsylvania State School Directors' association.

Mr. Kratz claimed that the schools were entitled, under the revenue act of 1891, to receive all the state revenues over and above the ordinary expenses of the state government, and that instead of receiving $8,500,000 annually, they were entitled to from $8,809,560 to $8,600,000. He contended that the last legislature had no right to deprive the public schools of the $4,000,000 which it appropriated to complete the capitol and that the money for this purpose should be raised from new subjects of taxation.

Governor Not Justified.

Mr. Kratz said that legislators should not be elected because they favored a certain candidate for United States senator, but because the people believed they would enact proper legislation and see to it that the state schools were given the money to which they are justly entitled. He gave a history of the school appropriation and said that Gov. Stone was not justified, by the healthy condition of the state treasury, in lopping $1,000,000 off the appropriation in 1899.

E. J. Smail of Braddock, in an address on the compulsory education law and the method of enforcing it, advocated better pay for the teachers and a more intelligent enforcement of the law by directors and other school officials. The convention opened this morning with 100 delegates in attendance and will continue in session tomorrow.

The Allegheny County Directors' association is represented by Mr. Smail, the Rev. J. A. Burnett of Wilkinsburg, John N. White, Sewickley; A. C. Coulter, Sykesville, and Miss Zetta Stewart, Pittsburgh.

The convention was opened with devotional exercises by the Rev. Dr. E. H. Kramer of Harrisburg. An address of welcome was delivered by Senator Fox of this city and was responded to by H. H. Rice of Philadelphia, chairman of the executive committee. Addresses were made by Gov. Stone, J. R. Spiegel of Greensburg, president of the association; George B. Hughes, Greensburg; S. M. Wakefield, Uniontown; Dr. A. S. Stayer, Altoona, and S. W. Smith, Bellefonte.

Gov. Stone Speaks.

Gov. Stone said the office of school director was one that sought the man; if it was a salaried office the man would seek it. He said the state should pay a portion of the expenses of the directors attending the state meetings. He was also in favor of giving the schools of Pennsylvania all the money they wanted. A course in the public schools of this state was now better than a collegiate course 20 years ago. Pennsylvania schools were away ahead of the schools of other states. For this standard, the governor said, much credit was due Thaddeus Stevens and the good sense of the people.

Vote in the interest of the taxpayers and not the taxeaters.

STRIKE CAUSES REMOVAL OF MILLS

Location of Plant to Be Changed From Findlay to Toledo, O.

[SPECIAL TELEGRAM TO THE GAZETTE.]

FINDLAY, O., Feb. 12.—The Ohio rolling mills will be moved from Findlay to Toledo at an early day. President Brenner has been offered a free site and $20,000 to make the change, and has decided to accept the proposition.

He claims that he was not given proper police protection against the strikers at the mill last week, and for that reason will go where he will be guaranteed protection to his plant and person.

Mayor Watson today ordered the 100 Italians who caused the trouble at the mill to seek homes elsewhere, the board of health having condemned the two shanties in which they lived, as sanitary nuisances.

SHARON, PA., Feb. 12.—(Special.)—The Wheatland rolling mill of the Continental Iron Company, which has been idle for some time while repairs were being made, resumed operations today in all departments. The company has orders enough booked to keep the works in steady operation for many months. About 200 men are affected.

Vote for a business-like administration of municipal affairs.

CONTRACT FOR CAPITOL.

Document Prepared and Bids Will Soon Be Advertised For.

HARRISBURG, PA., Feb. 12.—(Special.)—Ex-Representative Robert K. Young of Wellsboro, special counsel for the capitol commission, was here today in conference with Gov. Stone in regard to the contract for the erection of the $4,000,000 capitol. Mr. Young took the contract to Philadelphia this evening to submit to Joseph M. Huston, architect for the building, and if the paper is signed promptly by Mr. Huston a meeting of the commission will be held in Gov. Stone's office Saturday to formally accept the contract.

The working plans for the building have been prepared and as soon as they are approved by the commission a contractor will be advertised for.

Vote to send the Stone machine to the scrap heap.

Aged Groom Hangs Himself.

MARION, O., Feb. 12.—Squire John M. Rine, of Larue, this county, was found hanging to a bedpost at his home this afternoon, having strangled himself to death. Two weeks ago Rine, who is 78 years old, and Clementia Drake, aged 63 years, were married. No cause for the deed has been found.

A vote for the Stone machine is a vote for higher taxes and more bonds.

STATE AND NEIGHBORHOOD.

BEAVER FALLS, PA.—Yesterday the pierce-mill at the Pittsburgh seamless tube works at this place was put in operation.

CORRY, PA.—Mrs. Eliza Farmin, aged 81 years, was found dying from the effects of natural gas which had escaped into her sleeping room.

MEYERSDALE, PA.—Lutz Peiffer of Pittsburgh arrived here Monday, and yesterday his body was found on the Baltimore & Ohio railroad track.

CHESTER, PA.—The steamship City of Memphis, in course of construction for the Ocean Steamship Company, was successfully launched at Roach's shipyard.

FRANKLIN, PA.—Fire destroyed the buildings occupied by Martin & Son as a shoe store and as a residence by Mrs. Elizabeth Ferris and Mrs. Peter Vernon. The total loss is estimated at $7,000. There is insurance to the amount of $5,000.

CANONSBURG, PA.—Members of the Blackburn family, several of whom reside in this district, have been informed that they are the heirs of William Blackburn, an Englishman, whose estate is estimated to be worth several million dollars.

Cast a postscriptless ballot.

MANY MEN KEPT BUSY CLEARING ROADS OF SNOW

CONTINUOUS DRIFTING

Estimated Cost of Keeping Highways Open in Butler County Is $4,000.

[SPECIAL TELEGRAM TO THE GAZETTE.]

BUTLER, PA., Feb. 12.—The road supervisors in the townships throughout the county say that they have not had such trouble in seven years keeping the highways open as they have experienced the past 10 days. Gangs of men are employed all over the county shoveling out the drifts, which fill in again over night by drifting snow. In some of the townships at least $500 has been expended in keeping the roads open and on fair average over the county at least $4,000 will be expended before the storm is over. The farmers are taking advantage of the situation to work out road tax, which they would otherwise have to take time to do in the summer.

BEAVER FALLS, PA., Feb. 12.—(Special.)—The country roads leading from this place north, east and west are so badly snowdrifted that the rural mail carriers from the post office have experienced the greatest difficulty in going over their roads. In some places the horses plunge in the snow to their shoulders. Very few country people can come to town and country produce is getting very scarce.

OIL CITY, PA., Feb. 12.—(Special.)—Today a force of workmen engaged in shoveling snowdrifts in an endeavor to open the country roads near Dale station, 10 miles south from here, uncovered a horse frozen to death, attached to a sleigh. Tonight relays of men are clearing the vicinity in an effort to find the driver. Thus far residents of that part of the county have failed to identify the rig. Within a radius of 20 miles of this city the snow is from four to 12 feet deep and a number of mail delivery routes have been abandoned. Farmers have taken advantage of the storms to work out their road taxes and it is probable a special levy will have to be made to put the country roads into possible condition.

SECOND DEGREE VERDICT.

Sidney Cole Again Found Guilty of Killing Capt. Terry.

PARKERSBURG, W. VA., Feb. 12.—(Special.)—Sidney Cole, who was on trial for the murder of Capt. William T. Terry, of the steamer Keystone State, during the flood last April, and who was found guilty of first degree murder at his first trial, was tonight convicted of murder in the second degree. The jury was out a little over two hours.

Found Frozen to Death.

BELLEVERNON, PA., Feb. 12.—(Special.)—James Husher's frozen body was discovered lying in a sugar camp near the Washington mine today. He had evidently been dead over a week. Husher was last seen at the home of a brother near Fayette City on February 2. Husher was about 48 years of age and well connected.

Five Injured in Trolley Wreck.

NEW CASTLE, PA., Feb. 12.—(Special.)—A Pennsylvania shifter crashed into a street car at the South Mill street crossing tonight. Ben Peel, the motorman, was badly cut about the head and face. Miss Ethel Anderson of New Brighton was painfully bruised. John Mortiss, Alice Buffinger and Ralph Campbell were taken from the wreck with only a few bruises.

Turn out the crew that makes Pittsburgh a thing of barter and sale.

HONEYMOON WAS FATAL TO BROTHER

SAUL HELLER WAS KILLED BY A STREET CAR IN NEW YORK.

Had Been Accompanying His Brother Benjamin and His Bride on Their Wedding Journey—Jumped Off Car That Was in Motion.

When Benjamin Heller left with his bride for their honeymoon trip last Thursday, his brother Saul accompanied them. Yesterday Saul Heller returned in his coffin, and the bride and groom, whose month of bliss was so sadly cut short, are almost prostrated by their grief.

The bridal party, of which Saul was a happy member, were stopping at a hotel in Lexington avenue, near Seventy-eighth street, New York. On Tuesday night the two brothers went out for a walk. When returning to their hotel, about 10 o'clock, Saul jumped off the car on Lexington avenue, between Seventy-eighth and Seventy-ninth streets, while it was moving at a high rate of speed.

His brother watched him step off, as he thought, in safety, and when he got off at the corner and started back up the street he was horrified to see Saul lying in the middle of the street. When Benjamin reached his side he found him unconscious.

The inanimate form was taken into a nearby physician's office, where the feeble spark of life lingered until after midnight yesterday morning. His neck was broken by the fall, but now he lost his balance after his apparently safe jump is not yet known.

Yesterday morning Benjamin wired to the family at No. 1425 Fifth avenue that Saul had died from an accident. The blow fell so suddenly that the whole family is prostrated. They did not receive the details of the sad happening until last night, when his body reached here, and was taken to the family residence. Saul Heller was 27 years old and head of the cigar firm of Heller & Stein, Marion street. He made his home with his mother in Fifth avenue. Benjamin Heller, the brother whose wedding tour was so sadly broken, is a member of the firm of Heller & Perin of Fifth avenue.

Arrested for Attempted Murder.

ALTOONA, PA., Feb. 12.—(Special.)—William McLane, who is wanted by Ebensburg county authorities on the charge of an attempt to murder James Delahunty, a conductor, because, it is claimed, he had put him off a gravel train, has been arrested at Daugherty, north of here.

Tolstoy Growing Weaker.

YALTA, CRIMEA, Feb. 12.—Count Tolstoy is continually growing weaker. All the members of the count's family are assembled at his bedside.

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THEN IF THE CHILD HAS ANY STRENGTH LEFT LET IT PLAY THE

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54 " Regular Price, $2.00; Sale Price, $1.58.

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19 inch, Regular Price, 75c; Sale Price, 55c.
29 " Regular Price, $1.00; Sale Price, 72c.

Satin Parissiennes

(Either Colored or Black)

21 inch, Regular Price, 95c; Sale Price, 72c.
27 " Regular Price, $1.65; Sale Price, $1.28.

Black Satin Duchesse

21 inch, Regular Price, $1.00; Sale Price, 78c.
24 " Regular Price, $1.50; Sale Price, $1.10.
24 " Regular Price, $1.75; Sale Price, $1.25.
24 " Regular Price, $2.00; Sale Price, $1.58.

Colored Moire Louisine

22 inch, Regular Price, $1.50; Sale Price, $1.18.

Plain Louisine

27 inch, Regular Price, $1.00; Sale Price, 68c.
19 " Regular Price, 68c; Sale Price, 48c.

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GAZETTE'S CABLE FEATURES

UNCLE SAM MAY BE PARTY TO ALLIANCE

Belief Expressed in Europe That England and Japan Are Not Alone.

SATISFACTION IN CHINA

[ASSOCIATED PRESS CABLE TO THE GAZETTE.]

LONDON, Feb. 12.—The Liberal newspapers view the alliance between Great Britain and Japan with mixed feelings and the Conservative organs generally applaud it. The St. James Gazette (Conservative) expresses "modified rapture at this departure from British traditional policy," but finds solace in the thought that the policy and interests of the United States are identical with those of Great Britain and Japan, and concludes:

"Perhaps we shall find, when the policy of Great Britain is definitely known, that the United States is formally or informally a party to the league of peace in the far east. At any rate, no effort should be spared to secure its adhesion."

Means Open Door.

Baron Hayashi, the Japanese minister here, who signed the treaty in behalf of Japan, in an interview published today declared that the Anglo-Japanese treaty was not directed specially against Russia, but undoubtedly Manchuria was within its scope. The Japanese minister also said that the treaty was aimed particularly at the preservation of the open door which we have always had and intend always to maintain."

YOKOHAMA, Feb. 12.—The premier (Viscount Katsura) announced in the diet today the signature of the Anglo-Japanese treaty, which is here regarded as being practically an offensive and defensive alliance. The foreign minister, Kamoura, made an identical announcement in the lower house of the diet. The news of the signing of the treaty has been received with enthusiasm throughout Japan.

Chinese Are Pleased.

PEKING, Feb. 12.—The Chinese officials who were informed of the signing of the treaty, expressed the greatest satisfaction. They said British prestige in the far east had been given a tremendous advancement.

BERLIN, Feb. 12.—The National Zeitung, referring to the new dual alliance, says:

"The Anglo-Japanese alliance bears a great resemblance to the triple alliance. If the United States has joined Japan and Great Britain in resisting the signing of the Manchurian treaty, it must be inferred that the United States regards the new treaty sympathetically. Since the immediate aims of Japan and Great Britain are essentially defensive, the treaty acquires unmistakable significance in regard to the preservation of peace in the orient."

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MARCONI'S LIFE HEAVILY INSURED.

LONDON, Feb. 12.—(Special Cable.)—The directors of Marconi's Wireless Telegraph Company have decided to insure the inventor's life for $750,000, the huge risk being split up among a number of insurance companies.

LORD DUFFERIN DEAD.

By His Demise His Son's Wife, an American Girl, Joins the Peeresses.

LONDON, Feb. 12.—The marquis of Dufferin, former governor general of Canada, and who had filled many high diplomatic posts in the English service, died this morning at his residence at Clandeboye, County Down, Ireland. Lord Dufferin had been long in ill health.

Lord Clandeboye, the eldest son, who is a clerk in the foreign office, and who

The Late Lord Dufferin.

married Florence, daughter of John H. Davis of New York, succeeds to the title and another American joins the ranks of the peeresses.

The papers comment on Lord Dufferin's paltry pension of £1,700 yearly, which necessitated his taking up in city companies. The St. James Gazette says: "It is not a pleasant reflection that if the nation had acted with justice toward such a man as it has now lost he might have been spared the humiliation which he brought upon himself in consequence of the circumstances in which he was left in the last days of his brilliant career."

A vote for reform is a rebuke to the postscript governor.

EMPEROR WILLIAM NOT INTERFERING

Statement That English Was Requested to Be Spoken Is Denied.

DISPATCHES INCORRECT

[ASSOCIATED PRESS CABLE TO THE GAZETTE.]

BERLIN, Feb. 12.—The official North German Gazette and the German press have variously complained since the visit of Prince Henry to the United States was announced, that the English correspondents at New York have been sending dispatches calculated to create unpleasantness in some quarters. The North German Gazette this evening corrects a dispatch from New York to the Manchester Guardian, which says:

"Emperor William has requested that all addresses made by the German-Americans to Prince Henry be in the English language."

The paper in question says it is authorized to make the following statement:

"Emperor William has never expressed any wish whatever regarding the ceremonies and circumstances of Prince Henry's reception, but has left all these details to the Americans."

Duchess Honors Actor Gillette.

LONDON, Feb. 12.—(Special Cable.)—Consuelo, Duchess of Marlborough, gave a little luncheon party today. Among the guests were the Duke and Duchess of Portland, Mrs. Drummond and William Gillette, who is now drawing such enormous houses at the Lyceum. In fact the duchess gave the luncheon in Mr. Gillette's honor.

Queen Sees American Artist's Work.

LONDON, Feb. 12.—(Special Cable.)—John Singer Sargent, the great American painter, is now painting a picture of the three Ladies Acheson, daughters of Lord and Lady Gosford. The queen and Princess Victoria, attended by Lady Gosford, yesterday afternoon went to Mr. Sargent's studio to inspect the picture.

Marconi System Adopted.

LONDON, Feb. 12.—At a meeting of the Marconi Wireless Telegraph Company here today it was announced that the directors of the company had insured the life of M. Marconi for £100,000. It was also said at this meeting that the Lloyds had exclusively adopted the Marconi system in connection with their signal stations.

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PRESIDENT OF THE WABASH IN AN ERIE WRECK

Twenty-One Persons Hurt by Derailing of Train Near Mahoning, Ohio.

ONE DEATH MAY RESULT

Many Persons From Towns Near Pittsburgh Were Badly Shaken Up, but None Was Seriously Injured.

[BY ASSOCIATED PRESS TO THE GAZETTE.]

CLEVELAND, O., Feb. 12.—Train No. 20 on the Erie road, leaving Cleveland at 1 p. m. for New York, was wrecked between Mahoning and Phalanx, O., about 40 miles from this city, this afternoon. The whole train left the track and ran on for 20 car lengths, finally toppling over in a ditch.

Twenty-one persons are reported injured, but it is believed no fatalities occurred. As the train is made up here most of the injured are probably residents of this city. The train consisted of a buffet car, two sleepers, chair car, coach, baggage and express. Physicians were called from Warren and Youngstown, and left at once for Leavittsburg, where some of the injured had been taken.

Some of the more seriously injured were taken to Youngstown. The wrecked train is one of the finest on the Erie road, and is vestibuled.

The engineer of the train was Matthew Shay of Youngstown. George Hopper of Cleveland was conductor. They were not hurt.

List of the Injured.

GEORGE THOMAS, Cleveland, brain concussion; probably fatal.
CHARLES SHULL, Youngstown, side hurt.
ROBERT BLICKENSDERFER, general manager Wabash railroad, St. Louis, mouth cut and body bruised.
L. S. CARTWRIGHT, Baltimore, back and head bruised.
G. H. VAN ARMOUR, Coldwater, Mich., scalp cut.
MRS. FRED KUEH, New Castle, Pa.
JOSEPH HAIGLAN, Girard, Pa., arm and shoulder bruised.
MRS. FRANK PECK and two children, Warren, O., all received bruises.
FRANK PINNEGAN, Cleveland, head hurt.
MAX TARSHIS, New York, arm injured.
CORA AMES, Cleveland, scalp cut and body bruised.
WILLIAM VAUGHN, cook on President Ramsay's car, St. Louis, artery in leg severed.
MRS. MARY BEST, Cleveland, back and shoulders injured.
GEORGE T. YOUNG, ——.
MRS. JAMES LAMB, Warren, O., back and chest hurt.
GEORGE ECKERT, Meadville, Pa.
E. J. BASSINGER, Cleveland, left leg injured.
C. S. RUSLING, Philadelphia, arm and side hurt.
MRS. C. G. HART, Adrian, Mich., arm injured.
J. T. BLAIR, Greenville, Pa.
JAMES WHITE, Steubenville, O., right arm broken.
R. J. WOOD, Mr. Ramsay's secretary, body bruised.
MILTON STEELE, porter, body bruised.
J. H. KIRCH, Youngstown, O., left leg injured and internal injuries.

President Ramsay Did Good Work.

The cause of the wreck is now said to be spreading rails. Most of the injured were in the coach next to the last, that being the private car of Joseph Ramsay, president of the Wabash railroad.

Mr. Ramsay had an emergency case with him, and he did heroic work in assisting the injured. His car did not topple over, but the car in front did.

Mr. Ramsay wired his friends that his party would go east via Pittsburgh.

Vote for the completion of the Highland reservoir according to the contract under the supervision of an engineer representing the public.

MORE FIRE PLUGS HAVE BEEN ORDERED

Will Be Placed on Big Mains and Better Protection Downtown Will Be Given.

In consequence of the agitation of the chamber of commerce and the increased fire insurance rates, 75 fire plugs were yesterday ordered by Director A. H. Leslie. Of these 54 will be placed in the congested downtown district, many of them on the new 36-inch main, recently laid, and on the 20-inch main on Wood street. The plugs on Wood street now are connected with the eight-inch main, and it is possible for one fire engine to suck it dry.

The locations for the new plugs have been decided upon by Director Leslie, Chief Humphries and the assistant fire chiefs. Heretofore the fire plugs have been located by the bureau of water, and they have not been placed where they would be of the most service to the men who have to use them. The new charter places the location of fire plugs in the department of public safety.

The location of these new plugs will increase the efficiency of the fire department 50 per cent in a big fire, because it will be able to concentrate the engines nearer the scene of action, instead of having them scattered over a large area. It will also prevent, to a very great extent the closing of many streets when there is a fire. The other 21 plugs, together with 27 now on hand, will be placed at various places throughout the city.

The main issue of the election is whether the people will ratify Stone's acts.

LENT HAS BEGUN.

Roman Catholic and Episcopal Churches Begin Observance With Usual Customs.

The Lenten season was ushered in yesterday morning with penitential services in both the Catholic and Episcopal churches, in the former the ancient custom of sprinkling the foreheads of the faithful with ashes as a reminder of the mortality of the body was carried out with the usual services. In St. Paul's cathedral the ceremony of the "blessing of ashes" was performed at an early mass and the heads of those in attendance sprinkled with them. The Lenten services proper were begun last night with the recitation of the rosary and other prayers, followed by a sermon to non-Catholics by the Rev. Father Canevin, rector of the cathedral.

On Wednesday and Sunday nights during Lent the series of sermons begun last night will be preached. On the Friday nights of Lent the service of the stations of the cross will be held, followed by benediction. The ancient strict fast of Lent that for a number of years was binding to Catholics has been relaxed to a great degree.

In St. Mary's Episcopal church, Braddock, holy communion was administered, followed by the recitation of penitential psalms. In the evening the rector, the Rev. Dr. John Dyess, preached a sermon. A surpliced choir sang the anthems. The same service was held in various Episcopal churches of the two cities. Bishop Whitehead will confirm a class in St. Mary's Sunday next. Beginning next Sunday night the Rev. Edward Ward will preach a series of Lenten sermons in Trinity church. A special choir service has been arranged for these sermons.

A vote for reform is a rebuke to the postscript governor.

BLIZZARD WAS OF SHORT DURATION

SNOWSTORM RAGED FIERCELY FOR 20 MINUTES LAST NIGHT.

Only a Half Inch of Snow Fell, but It Tied Up Street Car Traffic, Both in the City and Suburbs—Slightly Warmer Weather Predicted.

A snowstorm visited Pittsburgh and vicinity about 7 o'clock last evening. It lasted only 20 minutes, but its fierceness fully made up what it lacked in duration. Street car traffic was affected and practically tied up during the storm.

Probably a half-inch of snow fell while the storm lasted. It came whirling down in a dense volume and coated the windows in the cabs of the street cars. It was impossible for motormen to keep the windows free from snow, and the cars were compelled to stop during the storm to avoid accident.

In 20 minutes it was over and traffic was resumed. The storm was wholly unexpected. Flurries of snow had been noticed all day, but at evening there was not enough to cover the ground.

In the outlying districts street car traffic was tied up. In Braddock the cars had to stop to avoid accidents. In Carnegie, Bellevue, Sharpsburg, Aspinwall and Wilkinsburg the storm was severe and the residents expected to see a blizzard, but when it abated only an inch of snow had fallen.

Cloudy weather, slightly rising temperature and snow are predicted for today. The warm weather which was hovering over the west on Tuesday night has made little progress toward the east, and will probably remain inactive west of the Mississippi river. A few of the western stations reported a slight decrease in temperature. Bismarck reported a rise of 4 degrees.

Vote to kill the deal for "mutual political and business advantage."

COVENANTERS' SESSION.

Constitution Subjected to Rough Handling Because of Its Alleged Unchristian Character.

Beginning Monday, February 24, a "Christian Citizenship Conference," devoted to the consideration of political loyalty to Christ, will be held in the Allegheny Covenanter church, corner Sandusky and North Diamond streets, and lasting two days, with two conferences each day. There are to be 25 speakers, all of the Covenanter creed from various parts of the United States. The Rev. Dr. D. C. Martin of the East End church will preside.

During this conference there will be some astonishing resolutions introduced and supported by arguments from a strictly religious standpoint. At 2:45 Monday afternoon the Rev. A. J. McFarland of Beaver Falls will preach a sermon, his subject being: "Jesus Christ, the Royal Saviour and Governor Among Nations," this to be followed by a resolution: "The present condition of the United States fails to meet the requirements of God's Word by its failure to recognize the authority of Christ, and of the law, and violates that Word in giving the supreme place to the people, without acknowledging the sovereignty of God, and also in the terms of the oath prescribed for the president."

The Rev. Dr. R. C. Wylie of Wilkinsburg will read a paper on "The Unchristian Character of the Constitution of the United States," from which the above resolution is to be discussed.

Others who will read papers during the conference are the Revs. W. J. McKnight, Mercer, Pa.; Dr. W. J. Sproull, Allegheny; Dr. R. J. George, Allegheny Reformed Presbyterian seminary, F. M. Wilson, Parnassus, Pa.; Dr. C. J. McFeeters, Philadelphia; John C. Slater, White Cottage, O.; H. G. Foster, Beaver Falls; A. Kilpatrick, Valencia, Pa.; W. McLeod George, Brooklyn, N. Y.; Dr. F. M. Foster, New York; W. P. Johnston, president of Geneva college.

Vote against the graft system in politics.

OUR FOREIGN CUSTOMERS.

Heavy Shipments of Wire, Wire Nails and Steel Tubes.

NEW YORK, Feb. 12.—(Special.)—The foreign shipments of the American Steel and Wire Company's wire and wire nails, made through eastern ports this month, aggregated close on 6,000 tons. Australia and South Africa were the largest buyers.

The National Tube Company's exports of pipe, made through eastern ports last month, amounted to n early 3,000 tons. Europe and South Africa were the best buyers.

GRANGERS GET MAJORITY OF 34 ON A TEST VOTE

House Refuses to Recommit the Oleo Bill and Then Passes It.

MANY CHANGES ARE MADE

Acheson Lines Up With the Farmers and Dalzell With Their Opponents. States Given Power of Legislation Even Over Original Packages.

[BY ASSOCIATED PRESS TO THE GAZETTE.]

WASHINGTON, D. C., Feb. 12.—The house today passed the oleomargarine bill. There was no division on the final passage, the real test of strength having been made on a motion to recommit, which was defeated by a majority of 34.

The vote by yeas and nays follows:

Yeas—Adams, Adamson, Allen (Ky.), Ball (Tex.), Bonfill, Bowersock, Bowie, Brantley, Bromwell, Broussard, Brundidge, Burgess, Burk (Pa.), Burleson, Burnett, Burton, Butler (Mo.), Candler, Clayton, Connell, Cooper (Tex.), Cowherd, Cromer, Crumpacker, Cummings, Dalzell, Davey, Davis, Degraffenreid, Dinsmore, Douglas, Edwards, Elliott, Fenley, Fleming, Foster (Ill.), Fox, Gaines (Tenn.), Gillett (N. Y.), Goldfogle, Hamburg, Hedge, Henry (Miss.), Henry (Tex.), Hooker, Howard, Hughes, Johnson, Joy, Kahn, Kahoe, Kitchin (Claude), Kitchin (W. W.), Kleberg, Lanham, Lassiter, Latimer, Lessler, Lester, Lever, Lewis (Ga.), Little, Livingston, Long, Loud, Loudenslager, Lovering, McAndrews, McCall, McClellan, McCulloch, McDermott, McLain, McRae, Maddox, Maguire, Mann, Maynard, Mondell, Moon, Naphen, Overstreet, Padgett, Patterson (Tenn.), Pierce (Tenn.), Randell, Randell, Reid, Rhea (Ky.), Richardson (Ala.), Richardson (Tenn.), Robertson, Rucker, Ruppert, Ryan, Scarborough, Schirm, Sheppard, Sims, Slayden, Small, Smith (Ky.), Snodgrass, Sparkman, Steele, Stephens, Talbert, Taliaferro, Thompson, Underwood, Wachter, Wadsworth, Wheeler, White, Wiley, Williams (Miss.), Wilson and Wooten —118.

Nays—Acheson, Alexander, Alpin, Babcock, Ball (Del.), Barney, Bates, Bell, Bishop, Blackburn, Blakeney, Bristow, Brown, Brownlow, Burke (S. D.), Butler (Pa.), Calderhead, Caldwell, Cannon, Carmack, Cassingham, Clark, Cochran, Conner, Corry, Coombs, Cooney, Cooper (Wis.), Currier, Curtis, Cushman, Dahle, Darragh, Davidson, DeArmond, Deemer, Dick, Dougherty, Dovener, Draper, Driscoll, Eddy, Emerson, Evans, Fletcher, Foerderer, Fordney, Foster (Vt.), Gardner (Mich.), Gardner (N. J.), Gibson, Gilbert, Gill, Glover, Gooch, Gordon, Green (Pa.), Greene (Mass.), Griffith, Grow, Hall, Hamilton, Haskins, Haugen, Heatwole, Henry (Conn.), Hepburn, Hildebrandt, Hill, Howell, Hull, Jack, Jackson (Kan.), Jackson (Md.), Jenkins, Jett, Jones (Va.), Jones (Wash.), Kern, Ketcham, Knapp, Lacey, Lamb, Lawrence, Lewis, Lindsay, Littlefield, Loudenslager, McCleary, McEachin, Mahon, Marshall, Martin, Metcalf, Mickey, Miers, Miller, Minor, Moody (Mass.), Moody (N. C.), Moore (Ore.), Morrell, Morris, Mudd, Mutchler, Needham, Nowlands, Nevin, Olmstead, Otey, Parker, Patterson (Pa.), Payne, Pearre, Perkins, Pou, Powers (Me.), Prince, Ray, Rixey, Robb, Robinson (Ind.), Robinson (Neb.), Rumple, Russell, Salmon, Selby, Shafroth, Shallenberger, Sherman, Snowalter, Sibley, Skiles, Smith (Ill.), Smith (S. D.), Snook, Sperry, Stack, Stevens, Stewart (N. J.), Stewart (N. Y.), Sullowav, Sutherland, Tawney, Thayer, Thomas (Iowa), Tirrell, Tompkins (O.), Tongue, Vandiver, Vreeland, Wanger, Wason, Watson, Weeks, Wanser, Wehnock, Wilson, Williams (Ill.), Woods, Wright and Zenor—162.

Changes Made in the Bill.

The provision to require the inspection and branding of renovated butter, which was adopted in committee of the whole yesterday, was retained today on an aye and nay vote.

As finally passed the bill is somewhat modified from the form in which it was reported from the committee on agriculture. It makes oleomargarine or imitation butter or cheese transported into any State or territory for use, sale or consumption therein, subject to the laws of such state or territory, notwithstanding that it may be introduced in original packages, and imposes a tax of 10 cents a pound on oleomargarine made in imitation of "butter of any shade of yellow." When not made in such imitation the tax is reduced to one-fourth of 1 cent a pound.

Hotels and Boarding Houses.

The second section is intended to prevent dealers, hotel proprietors, restaurant and boarding house keepers from coloring the oleomargarine article, by making any person who colors the product, and then sells or furnishes it to others, a manufacturer within the meaning of the act. Penalties for violation of the act are a fine of not less than $50 nor more than $500, and imprisonment for not less than 30 days nor more than six months.

A new section provides for the sanitary inspection and branding of renovated butter.

War claims occupied the attention of the house after the passage of the oleomargarine bill, and the day was made notable by the passage of the first bill for the payment of claims of United States citizens arising out of the Spanish war. It carried something over $5,000 for the payment of 202 claims for property taken within the United States for the use of the army.

An omnibus bill carrying claims aggregating $2,115,502 for stores and supplies taken from loyal citizens during the civil war, also was passed. These claims were allowed under the provisions of the Bowman act, and the bill was identical with one passed by the house at the last session.

Next Tuesday will be the voters' opportunity. Don't fail to take advantage of it.

FILIPINO FEDERALS ASK TERRITORY STATUS.

Time Has Come for More Complete Civil Government—A Plea for Amnesty.

[BY ASSOCIATED PRESS TO THE GAZETTE.]

WASHINGTON, D. C., Feb. 12.—The memorial of the Federal party of the Philippine Islands was transmitted to the senate this afternoon by the secretary of war, together with a letter of transmittal by Gov. Taft, in whose charge the document was given. The memorial was adopted at an extraordinary session of the Federal party held in Manila in November.

It sets forth that the performance of that obligation of the treaty of Paris which gave the United States congress authority to fix the status of the Philippine Islands, has been deferred to this time because of the attack by the Filipinos upon the sovereignty of the United States, an act brought about, the memorial says, through a misunderstanding and not through hatred of the American sovereignty. It further states that out of the 60 provinces and districts, war exists in only two—Batangas and Samar.

The memorial asks that congress proceed to carry into effect its intention of defining the future of the Philippines in their relations to the United States, and asserts that there is no reason for not replacing the military regime by a civil rule of a popular character in conformity with the decisive words of the never-to-be-forgotten President McKinley." A preliminary form of government similar to that of the territories of the United States, is outlined as suitable for the Philippines. Complete and general amnesty to the Philippine people is asked.

Mr. Teller occupied the attention of the senate during the greater part of today's session, and has not yet concluded his speech against the administration's policy.

Vote to remove Pittsburgh from the political bargain counter.

DRANK CARBOLIC ACID.

Anna Himes Used the Old Method to End Her Sad Life.

Holding a photograph of her deceased father in her hand, Anna Himes, alias Hazel St. Clair, an inmate of a resort kept by Jennie Good, No. 28 Second avenue, drank two ounces of carbolic acid and died before she could be removed from the house. The girl had been handling the photograph of her father, taken as he lay in his casket, during the greater part of the evening.

About 1:30 o'clock she entered a room occupied by Kitty Brown and asked her for some carbolic acid. She refused. When she reached the door she turned and asked the Brown girl to shake hands with her as she was going. Kitty Brown rushed into the Himes' girl's room just as she secured a bottle of carbolic acid. With the photograph of her father in one hand, she raised the bottle to her lips. Kitty Brown knocked the bottle from her hand, but was felled to the bed. The girl secured the bottle and drank the contents. The other inmates of the house attempted to revive her but without avail. She was placed in a c arriage by Officer Snyder and taken to the Homeopathic hospital, but she was dead before she reached there.

A vote for the Stone machine is a vote for higher taxes and more bonds.

AMERICAN RIGHTS SAFE.

Minister Conger Assured of Protection to Railroad Syndicate.

PEKING, Feb. 12.—The United States minister, Mr. Conger, has obtained official assurances safeguarding the rights of the American Canton-Kankow railroad syndicate, which were threatened by similar concessions to Belgians.

Prince Ching president of the foreign office, says the concessions granted to Belgians by local officials are worthless unless ratified by the government, which will not grant anything prejudicing American rights.

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Many of the ills from which women suffer are of a transient nature and do not come from any organic trouble and it is pleasant to know that they yield so promptly to the beneficial effects of Syrup of Figs, but when anything more than a laxative is needed it is best to consult the family physician and to avoid the old-time catharties and loudly advertised nostrums of the present day. When one needs only to remove the strain, the torpor, the congestion, or similar ills, which attend upon a constipated condition of the system, use the true and gentle remedy—Syrup of Figs—and enjoy freedom from the depression, the aches and pains, colds and headaches, which are due to inactivity of the bowels.

Only those who buy the genuine Syrup of Figs can hope to get its beneficial effects and as a guarantee of the excellence of the remedy the full name of the company—California Fig Syrup Co.—is printed on the front of every package and without it any preparation offered as Syrup of Figs is fraudulent and should be declined. To those who know the quality of this excellent laxative, the offer of any substitute, when Syrup of Figs is called for, is always resented by a transfer of patronage to some first-class drug establishment, where they do not recommend, nor sell false brands, nor imitation remedies. The genuine article may be bought of all reliable druggists everywhere at 50 cents per bottle.

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Lot No. 4, at $1.90 a Pair.

An assortment of Men's $2.00 Shoes, Box Calf and Patent Calf, in all sizes—Heavy double soles, newest shapes—an exceptional value at the price.

Lot No. 5, at $2.50 a Pair.

Men's Patent Calf and Enamel Stock—Goodyear welt sewed—Heavy double soles—worth regularly $3.50 and $4.00.

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(No. 290.)

AN ORDINANCE—Regulating street parades, processions and street assemblies.

Section 1. Be it ordained and enacted by the select and common councils of the city of Allegheny, and it is hereby ordained and enacted by the authority of the same, That all street parades, processions and street assemblages, occupying, marching or assembling upon any street, lane, alley, highway, wharf or public square of the city of Allegheny to the exclusion or interruption of other citizens in their individual right of the use thereof, excepting posts of the Grand Army of the Republic, the national guard of the state of Pennsylvania, funeral processions and the fire and police forces of the city of Allegheny, are forbidden, unless permission be granted therefor by the superintendent of the bureau of police, which permission shall only be granted upon written notice of the object, time, route or place of such proposed parade or assemblage, and the character and purpose thereof, and the names and places of residence of the officers of the same being given to the said superintendent of the bureau of police by the chief officer thereof, not less than twenty-four hours previous to its forming, marching or assembling; and, to protect the business interests of the citizens, prevent delay in travel and preserve the peace and good order of the city, the said superintendent of the bureau of police shall have the power, and it shall be his duty, subject to the approval of the director of the department of public safety, to designate by such procession or parade, highways, wharves or public squares it can occupy and to assign to such assemblages such place or places as in his judgment will least interfere with the rights of the public, and if parade or procession the time of its starting, the length of time of such parade or procession, and the route of such parade or procession and it shall be determined upon by the superintendent of the bureau of police and approved by the director of the department of public safety, and when so designated and approved, the proper officers of said parade, procession or assemblage, shall be responsible that the designation and conditions set out are obeyed and complied with, and it shall be the duty of the said superintendent of the bureau of police to furnish such escort as may be necessary to protect persons and property and maintain the public peace and good order of the city.

Sec. 2. That any person or persons violating any of the provisions of this ordinance shall be punished by a fine of not less than twenty-five dollars nor more than one hundred dollars for each offense, and in default of payment of said fine and costs, shall be committed to the common jail of Allegheny county or the Allegheny county workhouse for a period of not more than thirty days.

Sec. 3. That so much of any ordinance as may conflict with or be supplied by the foregoing be and the same is hereby repealed.

Ordained and enacted into a law in councils this 4th day of February, A. D. 1902.

GEO. W. SNAMAN,
President Pro Tem. of Select Council.
Attest:
LAFAYETTE WILLS, City Clerk.
JOHN M. GOEHRING,
President of Common Council.
ROBERT DILWORTH, City Clerk.
City Recorder's Office, Allegheny, Pa., February 7, A. D. 1902. The above ordinance examined and approved.
JOHN R. MURPHY,
City Recorder.

(No. 291.)

AN ORDINANCE—Establishing the grade on McIntyre avenue, Tenth ward, from Perrysville avenue to Ellwood avenue.

Section 1. Be it ordained and enacted by the select and common councils of the city of Allegheny, and it is hereby ordained and enacted by the authority of the same, That the grade on McIntyre avenue, Tenth ward, from Perrysville avenue to Ellwood avenue, be and the same is hereby established as follows:

SOUTH CURB LINE.

Beginning at a point where the south curb line of McIntyre avenue intersects the east line of Perrysville avenue, at an elevation of four hundred thirty-three and seventy-seven hundredths (433.77) feet above city datum; thence descending at a rate of two and five-tenths (2.5) feet per hundred (100) feet for a distance of forty-five and eight hundredths (45.08) feet, to a point, elevation four hundred thirty-two and eight-tenths (432.8) feet above city datum; thence ascending at a rate of ten and eighty-four hundredths (10.84) feet per hundred (100) feet for a distance of two hundred seventy-two and sixty-seven hundredths (272.67) feet, to a point, opposite the intersection of the south line of McIntyre avenue and the west line of Maple avenue, elevation four hundred sixty-two and thirty-six hundredths (462.36) feet above city datum; thence ascending at a rate of four and forty-four hundredths (4.44) feet per hundred (100) feet for a distance of forty-five (45) feet to the east curb line of Maple avenue, elevation four hundred sixty-four and thirty-six hundredths (464.36) feet above city datum; thence ascending at a rate of nine and five-tenths (9.5) feet per hundred (100) feet for a distance of two hundred forty-one and ninety-five hundredths (241.95) feet to a point opposite the intersection of the south line of McIntyre avenue and the west line of Osgood street, elevation four hundred eighty-seven and thirty-five hundredths (487.35) feet above city datum; thence ascending at a rate of five and eighty-nine hundredths (5.89) feet per hundred (100) feet for a distance of forty-five (45) feet to the east curb line of Osgood street, elevation four hundred ninety (490) feet above city datum; thence ascending at a rate of nine and five-tenths (9.5) feet per hundred (100) feet for a distance of one hundred twenty and seventy-one hundredths (120.71) feet to a point opposite the intersection of the south line of McIntyre avenue and the west line of Ellwood avenue, elevation five hundred ten and forty-seven hundredths (510.47) feet above city datum.

NORTH CURB LINE.

Beginning at a point where the north curb line of McIntyre avenue intersects the east line of Perrysville avenue, at an elevation of four hundred thirty-three and three-tenths (433.3) feet above city datum; thence ascending at a rate of ten and eighty-four hundredths (10.84) feet per hundred (100) feet for a distance of two hundred seventy-two and sixty-seven hundredths (272.67) feet to a point opposite the intersection of the south line of McIntyre avenue and the west line of Maple avenue, elevation four hundred sixty and eighty-six hundredths (460.86) feet above city datum; thence ascending at a rate of nine and five-tenths (9.5) feet per hundred (100) feet for a distance of thirty-two and sixty-four hundredths (32.64) feet to the west curb line of Maple avenue, elevation four hundred sixty-three and eighty-four hundredths (463.84) feet above city datum; thence ascending at a rate of one and seven-tenths (1.7) feet per hundred (100) feet for a distance of twenty-nine and forty-seven hundredths (29.47) feet to the east curb line of Maple avenue, elevation four hundred sixty-four and thirty-six hundredths (464.20) feet above city datum; thence ascending at a rate of nine and five-tenths (9.5) feet per hundred (100) feet for a distance of two hundred eighty-five and three hundredths (285.03) feet to a point opposite the intersection of the north line of McIntyre avenue and the west line of Ellwood avenue, elevation five hundred and thirty-four hundredths (530.94) feet above city datum.

Section 2. That so much of any ordinance as may conflict with or be supplied by the foregoing, be and the same is hereby repealed.

Ordained and enacted into a law in councils this 4th day of February, A. D. 1902.

GEO. W. SNAMAN,
President Pro Tem. of Select Council.
Attest:
LAFAYETTE WILLS, City Clerk.
JOHN M. GOEHRING,
President of Common Council.
ROBERT DILWORTH, City Clerk.
City Recorder's Office, City of Allegheny, February 7, A. D. 1902. The above ordinance examined and approved.
JOHN R. MURPHY,
City Recorder.

(No. 292.)

AN ORDINANCE—Vacating Sheriff street, Eleventh ward, from McDonald street to Brighton road, a width of forty (40) feet, according to accompanying plan and as herein described.

Section 1. Be it ordained and enacted by the select and common councils of the city of Allegheny, and it is hereby ordained and enacted by the authority of the same, That Sheriff street, Eleventh ward, from McDonald street to Brighton road, be and the same is hereby vacated of a width of forty (40) feet, according to accompanying plan, the center line thereof being described as follows: Beginning on the easterly line of McDonald street, at a point two hundred sixty (260) feet northwardly from the north line of Mellor street, thence northwardly parallel with Mellor street one hundred twenty-one (121) feet, more or less, to the westerly line of Brighton road.

The damages caused thereby and the benefits to pay for the same to be assessed and collected in accordance with the provisions of the laws of the commonwealth of Pennsylvania pertaining thereto and regulating the same.

Sec. 2. That so much of any ordinance as may conflict with or be supplied by the foregoing, be and the same is hereby repealed.

Ordained and enacted into a law in councils this 4th day of February, A. D. 1902.

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City Recorder's Office, City of Allegheny, February 7, A. D. 1902. The above ordinance examined and approved.
JOHN R. MURPHY,
City Recorder.

Office of City Clerks,
City of Allegheny, Pa., Feb. 1, 1902.

Notice is hereby given that the following ordinance was presented at a meeting of select council, City of Allegheny, on the 30th day of January, 1902, and was referred to committee on surveys:

LAFAYETTE WILLS,
City Clerk.

AN ORDINANCE—Opening Winnifred street, Eleventh ward, from Island avenue to Marshall avenue, of a width of forty (40) feet, according to accompanying plan, and as herein described.

Section 1. Be it ordained and enacted by the select and common councils of the City of Allegheny, and it is hereby ordained and enacted by the authority of the same, That Winnifred street, Eleventh ward, from Island avenue to Marshall avenue, and the same is hereby opened of a width of forty (40) feet, according to accompanying plan. The center line thereof being described as follows:

Beginning at a point on the north line of Island avenue, distant five hundred ten and twenty-two hundredths (510.22) feet west of the westerly line of Brighton road and twenty-two and one-hundredth (22.01) feet, more or less, east of the west line of Winnifred street, said the north line of Island avenue; thence in a northerly direction a distance of three hundred ninety-five (395) feet, more or less, to Marshall avenue, and the terminus of the center line of Burke alley intersects the north line of Marshall avenue at an elevation of forty-six and twenty-two hundredths (46.22) feet above city datum; thence ascending at a rate of eight (8) feet per hundred (100) feet for a distance of three hundred two and eight-tenths (302.8) feet to a point, elevation fifty-four and forty-four hundredths (54.44) feet above city datum; thence descending at a rate of one (1) foot per hundred (100) feet for a distance of one hundred seventy (170) feet to the south line of Washington street, elevation fifty-two and seventy-four hundredths (52.74) feet above city datum.

Section 2. That so much of any ordinance as may conflict with or be supplied by the foregoing, be and the same is hereby repealed.

Ordained and enacted into a law in councils this 4th day of February, A. D. 1902.

GEO. W. SNAMAN,
President Pro Tem. of Select Council.
Attest:
LAFAYETTE WILLS, City Clerk.
JOHN M. GOEHRING,
President of Common Council.
ROBERT DILWORTH, City Clerk.
City Recorder's Office, City of Allegheny, February 7, A. D. 1902. The above ordinance examined and approved.
JOHN R. MURPHY,
City Recorder.

(No. 293.)

AN ORDINANCE—Establishing the grade on McCandless avenue, Tenth ward, from Perrysville avenue to Ellwood avenue.

Section 1. Be it ordained and enacted by the select and common councils of the city of Allegheny, and it is hereby ordained and enacted by the authority of the same, That the grade on McIntyre avenue, Tenth ward, from Perrysville avenue to Ellwood avenue, be and the same is hereby established as follows:

SOUTH CURB LINE.

Beginning at a point where the south curb line of McIntyre avenue intersects the east line of Perrysville avenue, at an elevation of four hundred thirty-three and seventy-seven hundredths (433.77) feet above city datum; thence descending at a rate of two and five-tenths (2.5) feet per hundred (100) feet for a distance of forty-five and eight hundredths (45.08) feet, to a point, elevation four hundred thirty-two and eight-tenths (432.8) feet above city datum; thence ascending at a rate of ten and eighty-four hundredths (10.84) feet per hundred (100) feet for a distance of two hundred seventy-two and sixty-seven hundredths (272.67) feet, to a point, opposite the intersection of the south line of McIntyre avenue and the west line of Maple avenue, elevation four hundred sixty-two and thirty-six hundredths (462.36) feet above city datum; thence ascending at a rate of four and forty-four hundredths (4.44) feet per hundred (100) feet for a distance of forty-five (45) feet to the east curb line of Maple avenue, elevation four hundred sixty-four and thirty-six hundredths (464.36) feet above city datum; thence ascending at a rate of nine and five-tenths (9.5) feet per hundred (100) feet for a distance of two hundred forty-one and ninety-five hundredths (241.95) feet to a point opposite the intersection of the south line of McIntyre avenue and the west line of Osgood street, elevation four hundred eighty-seven and thirty-five hundredths (487.35) feet above city datum; thence ascending at a rate of five and eighty-nine hundredths (5.89) feet per hundred (100) feet for a distance of forty-five (45) feet to the east curb line of Osgood street, elevation four hundred ninety (490) feet above city datum; thence ascending at a rate of nine and five-tenths (9.5) feet per hundred (100) feet for a distance of one hundred twenty and seventy-one hundredths (120.71) feet to a point opposite the intersection of the south line of McIntyre avenue and the

LEWIS CAST BY THE BOARD IN SEVERAL WARDS

Machine Men Devoting Their Energies to Saving Councilmen.

COURT RESTRAINS M'CLURE

Temporary Order Granted to Prevent Him From Issuing Tax Receipts for Which Money Was Deposited by Democratic Managers.

Reports from various wards of the city indicate that machine workers have abandoned Controller Joseph E. Lewis and are devoting their energies to a desperate effort to save their councilmanic candidates from defeat.

Controller Lewis has practically been out of the running in such wards as the Fifteenth, Seventeenth and Twenty-third, where the fortunes of the three Flinn whips, John Upperman, Max G. Leslie and Thomas H. Thorn are at stake.

In the Seventeenth Lewis and the balance of the council ticket have sacrificed to elect Leslie. Numerous instances of this have come to light. "We don't care how you vote for controller or the other candidates for councils, but we want you to vote for Max Leslie," is the appeal of the machine workers in the Seventeenth.

An Exchange Proposed.

"If you will get us votes for Leslie we will turn in votes for Larkin and the council candidates who are not running against Leslie," they say.

Kirk Q. Bigham was defeated at the primaries in the Thirty-second ward and if Max G. Leslie loses in the Seventeenth the machine will be without a door leader in the common branch of councils. Councilman Leslie's defeat would be a hard blow to Director A. H. Leslie, his brother, as the latter also resides in the Seventeenth, and the two Leslies have always claimed its control.

Even in his home district, the South Side, Controller Lewis is being left to make his campaign single-handed. Common Councilman J. G. Armstrong of the Twenty-ninth ward asserts that he is not interested in Lewis' candidacy and that he is busy getting votes for himself. Armstrong is a machine man.

McClure Restrained.

The machine agents took final steps yesterday to disfranchise several thousand voters of Pittsburgh. They secured a temporary order restraining County Treasurer Thomas G. McClure from issuing tax receipts for money deposited in his office by the Democrats and stalwart Republicans.

This action was taken after the machine had secured all the tax receipts wanted from the treasurer and after Treasurer McClure had agreed to extend the same courtesies to the two other parties.

The preliminary order was granted upon petition of Edward J. Edwards of the Second ward. It restrains McClure from applying any portion of money in his hands to the payment of taxes to others than of the persons depositing the same; restrains him from honoring orders and issuing tax receipts other than as to the date of actual payment.

The order also restrains McClure from receiving any money from any person or persons issuing tax receipts except where the money is that of the electors so authorizing the taxes to be paid. Edwards is a machine candidate for common council.

Act of 1897 Is Cited.

It is alleged that under the act of July 15, 1897 it is unlawful for any person authorized to receipt for occupation or poll tax to accept money for that tax from any other person than the elector himself except upon a written or signed order. A hearing will be held on the petition today.

Arguments were made yesterday in common pleas court No. 2 before Judges H. S. Frazer and Elliott Rodgers in the matter of the objections filed by L. S. Lewin against the nomination certificate of James Hamilton, candidate for select council in the Fifth ward.

It was alleged that Hamilton, who seeks the Republican nomination, is a Democrat; that the ward executive committee should have reconvened to properly place Hamilton on the ticket to fill a vacancy, and that the action of the city Republican executive committee in amending its rules under which the nomination was made was illegal. Attorney C. A. O'Brien represented the exceptant and Attorney W. A. Blakeley Hamilton's interest.

Application for Overseers.

Attorney George W. Guthrie of the Citizens' party yesterday made application in common pleas court No. 3 for the appointment of two overseers in nearly every election precinct in the city. The application only set forth the name of but one overseer in a district. Mr. Guthrie remarking to the court that it was only proper to give the "other party" the right to select a man in each precinct. He stated he had given Recorder J. O. Brown, chairman of the Republican city committee, notice of the application, but that he did not appear in court.

William B. Rodgers and George W. Guthrie will be the principal speakers at the big Democratic and Citizens meeting in Old City hall Saturday night. Oliver McClintock will preside. It will be the final anti-machine rally of the campaign, and in numbers and enthusiasm is expected to surpass any former demonstration.

"Abraham Lincoln" was the theme taken by George W. Guthrie in his address yesterday at the business men's noonday meeting at the Citizens headquarters, Fifth avenue.

Tributes Were Eloquent.

The room was crowded. Mr. Guthrie's allusions to the great war president were eloquent and provoked frequent applause. Mr. Guthrie said the day, which was the anniversary of the birth of Lincoln, should recall the principles that the martyred president strove to perpetuate. These principles were liberty and free government. Mr. Guthrie said that ring rule such as furnished by the "organization" in Pittsburgh does not promote the great principles for which Lincoln gave his life.

A Citizens' meeting will be held tonight in the new Turner hall, Thirteenth street, South Side. Good music will be a feature. The speakers will be George W. Guthrie, John Marron, James M. Dunn, Ralph M. Strawbridge, Hamilton Burt and Dr. Cadwalder Evans.

FOUR STORES BURNED.

Blaze at Sewickley Causes a Loss of $15,000.

Four stores were destroyed by fire at Sewickley yesterday morning, and two other stores were damaged. The buildings were old frames. Above the stores lived families. The fire was started by Mrs. J. W. Grimes at 7 o'clock, while she was thawing out frozen water pipes in her husband's notion store, No. 412 Beaver street. That building, together with the bakery of Joseph Heller, the grocery of H. B. Bigley, the hardware store of Albert Abercrombie and the music store of James McDonald, were destroyed. Edward Young and John Downing also sustained losses.

The total loss by the fire is about $15,000. Several kegs of powder in Abercrombie's store, were carried out by the firemen before the store caught fire. Aid was asked of Allegheny, and engine No. 3 was ready to be sent, when word was received that it was not needed. The telephone cables were burned, causing much inconvenience.

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Fractured His Skull—William Z. Jackson of Lincoln place, Mifflin township, fell on the ice yesterday and fractured his skull.

Rescue the city from the postscript administration.

Coasters Injured Her—Mrs. Gilbert Barnes of Springdale was severely injured by being struck by a sled loaded with boys who were coasting.

Wreck Delayed Traffic—A wreck of coal cars on the Pittsburgh, Virginia & Charleston railroad at Hays station yesterday delayed traffic for about three hours.

Vote as you please. The ballot will be absolutely secret.

Hen Roosts Robbed — Chicken thieves are working overtime in Mifflin township. Fifteen were taken from the coop of D. C. Davies last night. Over 100 have been reported missing.

Moved Back Again—The Homestead Valve Company, formerly located in Homestead but recently elsewhere, has decided to again make its home in the steel town. Quarters have been secured on Seventh avenue.

Was Picking Coal—Mrs. Gara Gavins, a Braddock Hungarian woman, lost both legs yesterday, being run over by a train while picking coal along the tracks of the Pittsburgh & Lake Erie railroad. She cannot live.

Vote as you please. The ballot will be absolutely secret.

Damage Reaches $1,000—A double frame house in Fifty-second street, owned by Mrs. Johanna Hobbins and occupied by John Hobbins and William Short, was damaged by fire to the extent of $1,000 at 11 o'clock yesterday morning.

Sues for the Charter—John Bender, formerly president of the Homestead German Beneficial society, was yesterday sued before Justice of the Peace Giles for the charter and books of the society by Michael Milner, the new president.

Contracts Were Let—Contracts for the steel for the Homestead & Mifflin street railroad were let yesterday. Erbeck Bros., contractors for the grading, will commence work as soon as the weather permits. The road will be six miles long.

Vote against the system of graft in the administration of public affairs.

Explosion in Ice Box—Gas in the ice box of H. Markowitz's liquor store at Homestead exploded yesterday morning when Joseph Virberg opened the door. He was not injured. The concussion broke a light of glass in the window. Loss less than $100.

Killed on Way to Work—Marshal Friedel of No. 110 Friday street, Millvale, was killed yesterday morning on his way to work by being struck by a train on the Pittsburgh & Western railroad. He was 48 years of age, and leaves a wife and two children.

Thief in the Cellar—When Robert Johnson, night clerk in the Pittsburgh, Virginia & Charleston railroad depot in Homestead, went to the cellar, about daylight yesterday morning, he was astonished to find a man there. The visitor decamped with several articles of clothing.

Vote to take control of city affairs out of the hands of Stone's agents.

Will Talk on Sewer System—Burgess E. A. Klumiller of Swissvale has called a meeting of the citizens for tonight to discuss matters pertaining to the improvement of the borough. It is proposed to increase the bonded debt $80,000 so that a sewer system to cost $105,000 may be built.

Enough for Many Baths—About 200 gallons of water for every man, woman and child in Homestead is furnished each day by the waterworks of the borough, and William Howatt, the superintendent, says this is too much. He has asked the council to appoint an officer to investigate the awful waste.

Let your vote express what you think about the Stone postscript.

She Is Still Living—Lillian King of No. 516 Second avenue is still alive, regardless of three attempts on her own life in less than 12 hours. At the last attempt she was arrested and yesterday morning was fined $10. Between midnight and 2:30 o'clock yesterday morning the girl tried cocaine, carbolic acid, and throwing herself under a street car.

Skull Thrice Fractured—The inquest into the death of Herman Larisch, found in a dying condition in Diamond alley on Tuesday morning, will be held at 11 o'clock today. Larisch was 58 years of age, and had been of very intemperate habits. He formerly lived at Wellsburg, W. Va. His family is now in Chicago. The autopsy revealed that Larisch's skull was fractured in three places.

From Eve to Mrs. Soffel—Ernest Walter, editor-in-chief of the Volksblatt and Freiheits-Freund, delivered an exceedingly interesting lecture upon "The Eternal Feminine" in the rooms of the German library last evening. After a witty introduction tracing the part played by the sex in the world's history, from Eve to Mrs. Soffel, the lecturer discussed the sociological and economic aspects of the woman question. A large audience was present and a lively debate followed the address.

Vote against the manipulation of contracts by the favored few.

Poverty Was Relieved—Mrs. S. D. Robison, secretary of the Ladies' Relief society of Allegheny, submits the following report of the work done during the month of January. The amount of coal distributed was 3,885 bushels, 105 pair of shoes, flannel and flannelette, 170 yards; calico, gingham and muslin, 180 yards; garments old and new, 180. In cases of sickness provisions, medicine and bed clothes were furnished. Donations of groceries from both Pittsburgh and Allegheny have been distributed to many families asking assistance.

Forfeited His Bail—John Alph Miller of No. 313 Larimer avenue, East End, was to have appeared before Alderman John McMasters yesterday for a hearing on charges of false pretense and embezzlement. Peter Fank of No. 1744 Penn avenue made the charges and alleged that Miller told him he had the power to sign the name of John Neff to a deed for a piece of property at No. 457 Winslow street in the rear, which he has since learned he had no right to do. Miller failed to appear at the hearing and forfeited his bail of $500.

For National Eisteddfod—The Pittsburgh Eisteddfod association was organized at a meeting of a hundred Welshmen in the Welsh Presbyterian church in Second avenue last night. It is the intention to hold a national eisteddfod here on Christmas, and committees will be appointed to begin the work of preparation at once. The principal choral competition will be for a prize of $1,000 with a second prize of $500 and the conductors of these choirs will be given gold medals. It is expected they will attract the principal organizations of all the leading cities. Contests will be arranged for in male and female choruses of limited numbers and suitable prizes awarded. Prizes will also be offered for orations and poetical productions. Dr. L. E. Davis was elected president; Joseph D. Jones, vice president; D. Lloyd Jones, treasurer, and R. H. Davies and D. R. Williams secretaries.

R. R. RATES

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COFFEE DOES IT.

Facts Not Generally Believed.

It is curious to watch a coffee toper and observe how he or she will resist all suggestions as to coffee being the cause of their various ailments.

They will charge the coated tongue and bilious condition to something they have eaten, likewise the wretched condition of the bowels and the palpitation of the heart. The sallow complexion is generally attributed to a "naturally bilious" temperament.

But once in a while a person wakes up and throws off coffee entirely, then the truth begins to appear, and it is an easy job to make this change if Postum Food Coffee is taken in place of coffee.

A man in West Plains, Mo., writes: "As the coffee habit grew on me my health declined in the same ratio. I was subject to nervousness, constipation, dyspepsia and a general weak feeling which made me unfit for business, and finally I became so nervous and thoroughly broken down that I could not attend to business and turned everything over to my assistant and went to the mountains in Colorado, hoping to find health in a change of climate, but after six months' sojourn I came back in worse condition than I left.

"A friend insisted that I quit coffee and try Postum, and although I did not believe it was the cause of my ill health, I consented to try the new coffee. I bought a package and wife prepared it strictly according to directions and I was wonderfully pleased to find it so delicious and refreshing; the quitting of coffee was a pleasure rather than a task.

"I have now been drinking Postum for over a year and my health has steadily improved; the nervousness and dyspepsia have entirely disappeared. I have gained 25 pounds in weight and feel at least 10 years younger than I did a year ago.

"Many of my friends have quit coffee and are using Postum and I do not know of a single one who has not been benefited. Some of these did not like Postum at first, but in every case I found the cause to have been not having boiled it long enough. The directions are easy enough to follow, and when followed a delicious beverage is the result, but some slovenly cooks put it on to boil for five or ten minutes, but that does not make good Postum. After the real bubbling or boiling has begun it should be allowed to boil at least 15 minutes." Name given by Postum Co., Battle Creek, Mich.

MARRIAGE LICENSES.

The following marriage license were issued yesterday:

Mike Mandre	Pittsburgh
Vita Rubasa	Pittsburgh
Samuel O. Banister	Pittsburgh
Fannie J. Allen	Pittsburgh
Albert Wilhelm	Hope Church
Bertha Schmaltz	Pittsburgh
William McCartan	Butler, Pa.
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DEATHS.

CAMPBELL—On Tuesday, February 11, at 5:50 p. m., at her late residence, in Plum township, SARAH H. CAMPBELL, widow of John Campbell.

Funeral services on Friday afternoon at 2 o'clock. Interment in Parnassus cemetery.

CLIFFORD—On Wednesday, February 12, 1902, at 3 a. m., of scarlet fever, MARGARET ELLEN, daughter of John H. and Ellen Clifford, (nee Griffin), aged 5 years, 1 month, 13 days.

Funeral from parents' residence, 1124 Vickroy street, this afternoon at 2:30 o'clock. Interment private.

DICK—On Saturday, February 8, 1902, at the home of his nephew, James A. Dick, Las Vegas, N. M., the REV. J. M. DICK.

Funeral Friday afternoon at 1 p. m. from residence of Dr. G. M. Van Dyke, West Newton. Interment private.

DARGAN—On Tuesday, February 11, 1902, at 4 p. m., at the residence of his parents, 1520 Bedford avenue, JOHN, the youngest son of John and Mary Dargan aged 1 year, 10 months.

Funeral on Thursday afternoon at 2 o'clock. Friends of the family are respectfully invited to attend.

FETTER—On Tuesday, February 11, 1902, at 1:50 a. m., at his residence, 1206 Juniata street, Allegheny, DAVID P., son of Rhoda Catherine (nee Heberling), and the late Peter Fetter, in his 21st year.

Funeral services at Bethel Lutheran church, Fulton street, Allegheny, on Wednesday evening at 8 o'clock. Friends of the family are respectfully invited to attend. Interment at Cumberland church, Pine Creek, Thursday at 12 o'clock, noon.

GIBB—Suddenly, on Sunday, January 26, 1902, THOMAS P. GIBB, JR.

Funeral Thursday afternoon at 2 o'clock from the residence of his father, Thomas P. Gibb, Sr., Emsworth, Pa.

HENRY—On Tuesday, February 11, 1902, at 5 a. m., at Allegheny General hospital, JOHN HENRY, in his 42d year.

Funeral services at the late residence, No. 36 McNaught avenue, Allegheny City, Pa., on Thursday afternoon at 1:30 o'clock. Interment private.

HIGBEE—On Tuesday, February 11, 1902, of paralysis, J. WRIGHT HIGBEE, of Castle Shannon, Pa.

Funeral services at his late residence, Bethel township, this afternoon at 1:30 o'clock. Friends of the family are respectfully invited to attend.

KOENIG—On Monday, February 10, at 4:20 a. m., at her residence, No. 56 Boggs avenue, Thirty-second ward, Mt. Washington, CORA L. KOENIG (nee Hiller), wife of J. W. Koenig, aged 35 years, 7 months and 8 days.

M'GOWAN—On Tuesday, February 11, 1902, at 10 p. m., REBECCA JANE, wife of Robert L. McGowan, aged 75 years.

Funeral services this afternoon at 2 o'clock at her late residence, No. 509 Third avenue, New Brighton, Pa.

M'KEE—On Tuesday, February 11, 1902, at 10:45 p. m., ROBERT J. M'KEE, son of Joseph and Agnes McKee (nee Lafferty), in his 21st year.

Funeral services at the residence of his parents, Library road near Union school house, Baldwin township, on Friday afternoon at 1 o'clock. Carriages will depart from Semmelrock Bros.' office, 1720 Carson street at 9 o'clock. Friends of the family are respectfully invited to attend. Interment in Bethel cemetery.

MILLER—On Monday, February 10, 1902, of paralysis, at Ford City, Pa., the REV. ROBERT THOMPSON MILLER, of Pittsburgh conference, Methodist Episcopal church.

Funeral services at West End Methodist Episcopal church on Saturday afternoon at 1:30 o'clock. Interment private at Washington, Pa.

NOCK—On Tuesday, February 11, 1902 at 1 o'clock, ELIZA A. NOCK, in her 68th year.

Funeral services at residence of her son-in-law, A. M. Denholm, No. 446 Frankstown avenue, East End, Thursday afternoon at 1 o'clock. Interment private.

OTT—On Tuesday, February 11, 1902, at 6:30 a. m., SOPHIE OTT, beloved wife of John Ott.

Funeral services will be held at the family residence, Jacks Run, near Bellevue, on Thursday afternoon at 2:30 o'clock. Friends of the family are respectfully invited to attend.

PHELPS—On Wednesday, February 12, 1902, at 3 a. m., at Saltsburg, Pa., THOMAS H. PHELPS, in his 50th year.

Services at Saltsburg this evening at 7:30 o'clock. Funeral from West Penn depot, Allegheny, Pa., on Friday afternoon at 1 o'clock. Interment at Allegheny cemetery.

RALL—On Wednesday, February 12, 1902, EARL, beloved son of Jacob and Ella Rall, aged 2 years, 8 months.

Funeral from parents' residence, No 2441 Webster avenue, on Friday afternoon at 2 o'clock.

SCHWARTZ—On Wednesday, February 12, 1902, at 8:50 a. m., JOHN SCHWARTZ, a member of Col. J. W. Patterson Post, 151, G. A. R., in the 71st year of his age.

Funeral from the residence of his son, Robert H. Schwartz, No. 72 Maple avenue, Thirty-first ward, South Side, Pittsburgh, on Friday afternoon at 3 o'clock.

SHEAFFER—On Tuesday, February 11, 1902, at 8 p. m., at the residence of his brother, William Sheaffer, No. 438 South Atlantic avenue, East End, DANIEL M. SHEAFFER, in his 79th year.

Funeral services Friday afternoon at 2 o'clock. Interment private.

VON BONNHORST—On Wednesday, February 12, 1902, at 12:08 a. m., HARRIET R., wife of George M. von Bonnhorst.

Funeral service at her late residence, Ingram, Pa., this afternoon at 1:30 o'clock. Train leaves Fourth avenue, Pan-handle railroad, at 12:30 p. m., city time. Ingram and Crafton street cars run from Fifth avenue and Market street, Pittsburgh. Interment private.

WHITED—On Monday, February 10, 1902, at 9:30 a. m., at Marion, Ind., PHILIP A., wife of Elmer E. Whited.

Funeral from the residence of Hiram Whited in O'Hara township, near Sharpsburg, Thursday afternoon at 2 o'clock. Friends of the family are respectfully invited to attend.

WINNER—On Tuesday, February 11, 1902, at 6 a. m., at his residence, 4422 Calvin street, B. T. WINNER, in his 73d year.

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TWELVE PAGES

Postscript Managers Fear the People.

It might seem from the move made in court yesterday by the postscript candidate for council in the Second ward that the exigencies of his campaign compelled him to make a desperate attempt in his own behalf, but it is quite apparent that the action taken in his name has an application wider than the case that it brings to the notice of the judicial tribunal. It is of a piece with the effort to disfranchise voters that first showed itself in the dilatoriness and bad faith of the delinquent tax collector. But it is at the same time so noteworthy a confession of weakness on the part of the friends of Gov. Stone as to be a valuable stimulus to the Citizens campaign. Had the postscript managers sent a Fourteenth ward man into court they would have given a larger advertisement, in their way of thinking, to their disfranchisement program, but they do not escape any measure of unpleasant publicity, much as they would like to, by sending a person from a less conspicuous locality to the front to do what can be only termed their dirty work. It is a curious commentary on the weakness of intellect that is featured in the Stone campaign that its managers are unable to see that it is such tactics as are disclosed by the effort to restrain the county treasurer from doing what he has no intention of doing if he can avoid it that are adding daily to the vote that will be recorded for the candidates of the Citizens party. The people are convinced by every move of the creatures of Gov. Stone that there is a deliberate intention to count them out if it can be done, beginning with the padded registry lists in the downtown election districts and culminating with the opera bouffe determination to hold back Treasurer McClure, who needs no one to hold him and will be satisfied not to be pushed. The real object of the postscript leaders in going into court at this time is simply to procure more time and further delay proceedings, but it is as suicidal as many of the other moves they have made, inasmuch as it makes clear the desperate position in which they find themselves. In effect they admit defeat in advance of the casting of the ballots, and thereby give aid and encouragement to their opponents. It is a shortsighted policy for which the managers of the Citizens campaign have reason to thank them, as it reveals the actual conditions of the campaign to many who otherwise would have small opportunity to size up the situation in advance of election day. There is every indication that the postscript managers find themselves driven into a cul-de-sac, from which there is no escape, and they are doing more than any other influence to proclaim the fact. When campaign managers disclose that they fear the people and are determined not to trust their cause to them there is but one inference to be drawn.

Vote against the subordination of public business to "mutual political and business advantage."

The Milk in the Cocoanut.

The effort of the self-styled anti-trust contingent at the national capital is just now directed toward obtaining the free use of the mails for the dissemination of its peculiar literature. To succeed in this it is first necessary to secure publication in the Congressional Record. Until yesterday the anti-trusters were unable to make headway in that direction, but at last they have induced a western senator to make the first move for them. It does not appear, however, to have advanced them at the moment much nearer to the goal of their ambition, for Senator Turner's request to have the matter printed in the Record was not granted. Had it been the next step would have been to get it printed in the accustomed way as an extract from the Record and sent to all points of the compass through the United States mails under a congressional or senatorial frank. This sort of thing is often done. Both parties and all senators and congressmen impose on Uncle Sam in this way, and the anti-trust organization that has been exploiting itself by annoying Attorney General Knox has only to persist to finally succeed. Its lack of success yesterday is only a check, and not to be considered a defeat. The mails are wide open to this class of imposition and it amounts to a fraud on the United States revenues. The postoffice department is at the moment engaged in an attempt to protect the postal revenues against the abuse of the second-class mail privilege, but here is an abuse of the congressional franking privilege, of which the anti-trusters are trying to avail themselves, that costs the government untold sums. It would be money saved for better use if congress could be induced to compromise its franking privilege for an allowance to congressmen and senators of a stated annual sum for postage stamps. There is no good reason why the United States postal revenues should be burdened with the free distribution of mere campaign matter for either party or for any of the little cliques that open headquarters at the capital and seek publicity that the merits of their cause or the personality of its advocates cannot win. In the present instance it would not only protect the revenues, but prevent the petty annoyance to which the attorney general and the administration are being subjected by an uninfluential and irresponsible body of malcontents, were the franking privilege abolished.

The main issue of the election is whether the people will ratify Stone's acts.

New International Partnership.

The United States is not a party to the new agreement between Great Britain and Japan, but this country is in thorough accord with the objects of the agreement, and the negotiations were conducted with the knowledge and approval of the American government. Its objects are the preservation of the empire of China in its integrity, the maintenance of the commercial freedom of that country, and the protection of Korea. The formation of the Anglo-Japanese partnership is a notice to Russia and other European nations that they can go no farther in the dismemberment of China and the division of the spoils. Announcing that they intend to take no advantage of China or Korea themselves, disclaiming all aggression or self-seeking, England and Japan are determined that all other nations shall respect China's integrity and that all shall have a fair show in that country's markets.

By this arrangement Japan secures a valuable ally in England, for that country has not been without fear that it would be obliged to resist Russian arms itself. England, on the other hand, secures a watchdog off the Asiatic coast whose strength is by no means small. Japan's navy is a very respectable collection of fighting ships. The new warship Mikasa, just finished at Barrow, is described by English newspapers as the finest warship afloat. The courage of Japanese soldiers is undoubted, and even without England's support, Japan could be expected to give a good account of herself in a contest with Russia, at least in the sea battles with which the mikado would begin operations.

The new alliance, however, is a guarantee of peace. With England and Japan determined to protect China, and American influence on the same side, there is but little danger of war in that quarter of the globe.

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Lord Dufferin.

After uninterrupted triumphs in the diplomatic world Lord Dufferin died disappointed and heartbroken. The end of his life has been in keeping with the traditional misfortunes of his family. He inherited the literary talents of his mother, an encumbered Irish estate and little more. He had to make his own way in the world handicapped with the disadvantages of noble birth, which, when he was a young man, prevented him from putting his talents out at interest. There were only two roads open to him, politics and diplomacy. He chose the latter. He had not the rough and ready temperament which achieves fame or even success in the political arena. He was by nature and training a diplomat, not in the sense in which a Bismarck, a Metternich or a Richelieu was great, but in those suave accomplishments and accommodating amenities which smooth the inevitable misunderstandings between nations where no fundamental principles are involved. As governor general of India at one time and of Canada at another he had a large field for a display of statesmanship had an opportunity occurred, but during his tenure of office nothing took place to disturb the harmonious sequence of events.

The last few months of his life were unhappily clouded by the death of his eldest son and the collapse of a financial scheme into which he was inveigled.

As an author only one of his books will live, "In Northern Latitudes," a sketch of travel toward the north pole, which he wrote many years ago, and which remains a classic. His oratory had more affinity to the best style of American after-dinner speaking than to the dull stolidity of Englishmen. Lord Dufferin was not a great man, but he was endowed with generous mental gifts, which as a cosmopolitan he used to the best advantage in his long ambassadorial career.

Vote in the interest of the taxpayers and not the taxeaters.

Decline of the L. A. W.

The annual meeting of the national assembly of the League of American Wheelmen opened under discouraging conditions yesterday at Torrington, Conn. The gloominess of the reports was accentuated by the pessimistic remarks of the league's president, and his declaration that something must be done at once to keep the organization alive.

In the palmy days of bicycling the L. A. W. was a strong and influential body, and to it the devotees of the wheel were indebted for many benefits of decided value. In addition to constant and often successful agitation for good roads and bicycle paths the league secured for its members concessions from railroad companies, lower rates from hotelkeepers and recognition on the Canadian side of the border, aided in the defense of members who had been arrested for infractions of municipal laws regulating the use of the wheel, and in many other ways worked for the benefit of cyclers attached to the organization. So much was done in the interests of the pastime that the league's membership extended from one end of the country to the other, and its fame became international.

Naturally the decline in bicycling had much to do in starting the decline of the L. A. W., but the beginning of its troubles dates farther back. So long as the league exercised jealous care of the rights of cyclers, exerting all its energies in that direction, it retained its strength and influence, but eventually its prosperity attracted to it men with mercenary motives, resulting in high-salaried offices and other large increases in expenses. This brought about dissatisfaction. Interest in the organization began to wane, and ever since then the course of the L. A. W. has been downward. It is a pity that the league is in such a discouraging condition, but it is only another example of the results of extravagance.

Vote against official protection of vice.

Insurance Rates.

A general rise in insurance rates is the natural sequence to the numerous disastrous fires with which various cities have been afflicted during the past few months. The insurance companies have been hard hit all over the country. A succession of fires unprecedented in their numbers and magnitude have followed one another in rapid succession. Taken in the aggregate the amount of property totally destroyed has been enormous, while the amount of money to be disbursed by the insurance companies when the value of the property demolished or destroyed is approximately appraised will run into perhaps $40,000,000. No actuarial calculations could foresee or prepare for such a series of cumulative catastrophes, and no system of underwriting devised by the wit of man can meet the financial exigency which it implies without having recourse to higher rates. Insurance is like any other business. When the losses tend to supersede the profits, other arrangements than those which prevailed in normal circumstances must be adopted.

Turn out the crew that makes Pittsburgh a thing of barter and sale.

Measure Designed to Kill Oleo.

The bill that passed the house of representatives yesterday with the professed design of regulating the oleo business places a handicap on it that may prove fatal to the imitation butter industry—provided, of course, that the measure passes the senate and is signed by the president. The plain intent of the measure is the extinction of the competition of oleomargarine or butterine and renovated butter with the fresh product of the dairy and creamery, and to that end the protection given by the United States to articles entering into interstate commerce is specifically withdrawn, by the subjection of the imitation butter to the laws of the states wherein it is offered for sale, while a tax that amounts to a heavy penalty is imposed on all imitation butter that is colored "any shade of yellow." If the bill becomes a law it will require a very healthy and persistent demand for oleo to keep the trade from perishing.

From the present active encounters of the rival bands of brigands who are fighting to gain possession of the ransom for Miss Stone's release it looks as if it might in the end take all the money to pay the funeral expenses.

The welcome given the Hohenzollern on its arrival yesterday is prophetic of the good feeling that will be shown the German people in the person of Prince Henry on his arrival in this country.

The female politicians of the woman's suffrage movement in session in Washington are making the congressional male variety feel like thirty cents.

Vote to send the Stone machine to the scrap heap.

Memories of Abraham Lincoln, the emancipator, ought to furnish pretty good preparation for Pittsburgh voters to vote right next Tuesday.

Despite the United States senate the Missouri mule continues to sail for South Africa with profitable regularity for the Missouri farmer.

Next Tuesday will be the voters' opportunity. Don't fail to take advantage of it.

It may be taken for granted that Russia did not receive cards to that interesting political alliance between England and Japan.

A vote for the Stone machine is a vote for higher taxes and more bonds.

Now that Minister Wu is finding it necessary to correct his interviews he is giving fewer of them.

The voters will not need a postscript to give full expression to their opinions next Tuesday.

Turn out the crew that makes Pittsburgh a thing of barter and sale.

It is not believed that the "Ring" politicians are keeping Lent to any great extent.

It takes a wise man to accept the comic valentine situation calmly.

Alleged Bank Robbers Arrested.

ST. LOUIS, Feb. 12.—Sylvester L. Savignac and Charles Meyers were arrested today on warrants issued by the East St. Louis authorities charging them with having robbed the National Stock Yards bank on the night of January 9 last.

Brooklyn Gets Acquainted With Mr. Carnegie.

THE PITTSBURGH GAZETTE BUREAU,
Herald Square Building,
NEW YORK, Feb. 12, 1902.

Andrew Carnegie's pleasant workroom on the second floor of his residence at No. 5 West Fifty-first street, held a group of earnest-looking men in eager conversation this morning. They were talking about libraries. The gift of a large sum of money for libraries in Greater New York has been not without its concomitants of discord. The men who waited on the donor this morning were representatives of Brooklyn borough, and the tenor of their observations was that Brooklyn is entitled to a clear half of the $5,000,000 given after the places outside of Manhattan have been properly served. Manhattan seems to have contributed the view that it is a more important part of the greater city than Brooklyn, and that, of course, has caused patriotic Brooklynites to rear up and kick wildly. Mr. Carnegie believes that Brooklyn should have its full share of the money, and the conference today, therefore, was entirely pleasant and harmonious. The object was more to enable Brooklyn's representative men in library matters to become acquainted with Mr. Carnegie. As Pittsburghers know, there is no more sociable rich man in the country than Andrew Carnegie, one of the charms of his manner being that it never suggests in the remotest degree that he is conscious of the power that practically unlimited wealth gives to a man in this world. While possessing a thorough understanding of what great riches can do, he seldom talks about it, except in a business way, when the turn of conversation makes such a reference unavoidable. Thoroughly democratic, genial and hospitable, Andrew Carnegie never shows to greater advantage than in his own modest home (for comfortable and tastefully appointed as it is, the house in West Fifty-first street is extremely modest, considering the wealth of its owner), and the Brooklyn delegation left there today with the feeling that he was a shrewd, clear-sighted man of business and a tactful host, as well as a great philanthropist. The result of the conference was that Brooklyn feels satisfied with its library prospects.

Playwright Fitch's Collapse.

Clyde Fitch, the playwright, was reported to be no better today. His sudden collapse is the subject of much sympathetic comment along the Rialto, for Fitch is a popular fellow in the theatrical district here, and even the jealousy which usually pursues a successful man, particularly along lines of art, is lacking in this case. Augustus Thomas is another playwright who has been ill. He is out again, however.

Fifth Avenue Would Banish Trucks.

It looks now as the truckmen, with their heavy vehicles, would continue to use Fifth avenue, in spite of an effort to drive them off. The board of aldermen is disposed to think that the truckman has as much right on the asphalted pavements of the avenue as the carriage people. It is a fact that Seventh avenue, in the fashionable hours, is one of the most dangerous streets for pedestrians in the city. The procession of carriages is endless, and policemen at crossings—that at Forty-second street in particular—have a great deal of trouble in guiding the stream of traffic with even moderate safety. In many large cities of the world it is found necessary to preserve certain thoroughfares from the presence of heavy wagons, and it looks as if Fifth avenue were well within its rights in asking for the banishment of trucks, with their accompaniments of loud-mouthed and generally profane drivers. The board of aldermen takes the opposite view, however, and there is material for a great-class fight in prospect.

Grau's Anniversary.

Maurice Grau has been an operatic impresario for 20 years. He is celebrating the fact this evening in a quiet way. He does everything in a quiet way, for that matter. He broke into the amusement business in 1872, when he brought out Rubinstein, the pianist. He has been exploiting musicians and singers ever since. He has announced in a casual way that he expects to retire, but no one believes it.

A $150,000,000 Gamble.

President Greatsinger of the Brooklyn Rapid Transit Company said today, talking about his company's $150,000,000 bond issue, that it is a gamble on the future of Brooklyn. It is believed, although President Greatsinger denies it, that one object of the great bond issue is the purchase of all railroad property in Brooklyn not now owned by the R. R. T.

All Eyes on the Kaiser's Yacht.

When the Hohenzollern, the kaiser's yacht, steamed up the harbor this afternoon, she was the only object that ferry passengers and people on the wharves seemed to see. She was a brave sight. With her flags flying, her brass work glistening in the sunlight, and her white hull and big guns suggesting a man-of-war in holiday guise, she was by long odds the handsomest craft on the river. Her significance, as the first visible indication of the coming of Prince Henry of Prussia, had something to do with the interest she awakened, although her handsome appearance would have made her a notable visitor, in any event.

Observing a New Holiday.

Lincoln's birthday was largely observed in this city. This was particularly noticeable in the business district below the postoffice. Wall street was dead, of course, and a great many mercantile houses along Broadway shut up shop for the day because it would not be worth while to remain open. Cheap shops were open, as a rule. The proprietors of such places have not been educated up to the idea of making a holiday of Lincoln's birthday, and it was only here and there in the industrial districts that one saw the closed doors and empty rooms which betokened a break in the regular labor. There were a great many persons on the cars and trains, as always on a holiday, but nothing like so many as there will be on Saturday week, when we are called on to observe the anniversary of George Washington's birth. New Yorkers have been educated to a Washington birthday celebration, but the Lincoln festival is a little too new for many of them. One of the favorite excursions today was to Paterson to wander about the cotton district and note what devastation can be caused by fire in less than 24 hours.

Brooklyn Would Be Up to Date.

And now Brooklyn wants a zoo of its own. As part of Greater New York, it has a proprietary interest in the menageries in Central park and the Bronx, but that is not enough. There is a decidedly independent spirit in Brooklyn, and nothing less will satisfy it than its own collection of bona fides "beasts," American eagles, ring-tailed monkeys, elephants, hippos, and so on. A bill had been introduced in the legislature at Albany providing for the placing of a zoological collection in Prospect park, and there is no apparent reason why it should not become a law. Prospect park is a magnificent stretch of undulating pleasure land, and many persons think it is attractive enough even without a zoo, but it will be more up to date if it gets its animals, and Brooklyn's greatest ambition is to be regarded as up to date.

Burglars, Polite and Rough.

Now that three of the "polite burglars" that have been operating in New Jersey have been captured, Jerseyites are on the lookout for the common, or garden, burglar, such as may visit them at any old time. They do not expect a repetition of the burglaries of the "polite" operators are lashed to the pillars and tied to burglars, and many commuters are connoisseurs enough to distinguish the particular brand of burglar in their house at the first alarm. On the whole, they do not find "polite" burglars any pleasanter guests in the still hours of the night than the rough and untutored variety.

Child Killed by the "White Ghost."

That "White Ghost" automobile claimed its destiny today. It ran down and killed a child, and a wealthy man is under bail on a charge of homicide. The "ghost" is not in the possession of William K. Vanderbilt, Jr., its original owner, he having sold it some time ago to Edward R. Thomas, president of the Seventh National bank at the time it suspended, and it is he who is under bonds pending an investigation as to his responsibility for the fatality this afternoon.

Ancient Eggs on the Menu.

Among the dishes to be served at the dinner given by the Chinese Merchants' association to city officials on Monday next, will be eggs said to be more than 1,000 years old. As a visit to the Chinese theater is on the post-prandial program, guests will be searched as they leave the table, to make sure they have not pocketed any of these thousand-year eggs.

The Dispiriting Six-Day Performance.

The pitiful six-day go-as-you-please walk at Madison square garden goes on from day to day. At one time yesterday there were only 15 spectators in the garden, aside from contestants, trainers and assistants. The sight is not a joyful one and it does not appeal to the average pleasure seeker. The attendance was larger today than on any other day this week, on account of its being a holiday; but there was little enthusiasm. The general sentiment of hap-hazard visitors is that it will be well when the week is over. Judging by the dragged-out appearance of the walkers, there is nearly, if not quite, as much exertion in a team go-as-you-please as there used to be when men were put on the track to stay there as long as they could and cover as many miles as possible in six days. There is an apparent absolute disregard of all recognized methods of training in this race. Tobacco is now taken, which is usually considered decidedly injurious to a runner, is taken in profusion. Cigarettes and the blackest of cigars are puffed with great gusto, the possessors seeming desirous of getting the stimulating narcotic effects of the weed. Food of all kinds is given. The redolent odor of boiling onions is especially noticeable about the training quarters.

Adopting a Baby for Art's Sake.

Elsie De Wolfe, the actress, upon whose doorstep someone carelessly left a baby a day or two ago is reported to be willing to adopt the infant. Miss De Wolfe has not said in so many words that she will do so, but her press agent is doing her best to get her to do it, so that his matter in the newspapers will be verified. She may do it, for the sake of pay, and, doubtless, it will be a good thing for the baby if she does.

A Check on Twain's Humor.

Mark Twain was not smiling today. It would have been unsafe for him to do so, for Mrs. Clemens was worrying over the loss of a valuable emerald ring. She went to the matinee with Mrs. Clemens, and thinks she dropped the ring in the theater. "The ring was an heirloom," Mark Twain would have said a large reward, but someone else has the ring, and the great humorist is trying hard to keep peace in the family.

Lent Gets the Better of Holiday.

The theaters were not well attended tonight. Ash Wednesday is not a good night for the theatrical business in this city and no one was surprised that there were plenty of empty seats in all the playhouses, even in those in which it has been dull to get a seat a week or so ahead. The fact that it was a holiday did not seem to help matters much, either. With Lent putting against Lincoln's birthday, Lent got rather the better of it in keeping down box office receipts.

As Maddening as Pigs in Clover.

Chinatown merchants are selling a novelty that fairly comes under the head of the weird. The thing is a small picture of Prince Henry on paper in a frame of cardboard. At the bottom is a coin by which one can roll down the Prince Henry picture, showing in place of it a portrait of Miss Alice Roosevelt. There is a narrow strip of card, perhaps an eighth of an inch wide, across the picture half way down; but so far as can be determined it is entirely separate. It looks as if one could tear it off without affecting the two parts at all way. Yet, when one draws the picture of Prince Henry out of the way it is impossible to see where it goes, or how the portrait of Miss Roosevelt is brought into view. It looks like magic, and the tantalizing inscription printed across the top of the frame, "Figure it out," is maddening. Unless someone pulls one of the toys to pieces, discovers the secret and publishes it to the world, it is to be feared that there will be a revival of the epidemic of insanity for which the "pigs in clover" and the "14-15-16" puzzles were responsible years ago.

Paderewski's Opera Rehearsed.

Paderewski held the first full rehearsal of his opera, "Manru," at the Metropolitan opera house this morning. A number of musicians and other professionals were present, and Maurice Grau and Paderewski were both busy on the stage and in the auditorium. The music as pronounced fine by professionals, and the action of the opera, regarded as dramatic enough to be worthy of the score, Paderewski expressed himself pleased with the rehearsal and kissed Maurice Grau heartily on the cheek in testimony of his satisfaction.

GEORGE C. JENKS.

Pittsburghers in New York.

The following Pittsburghers are registered at the New York hotels today:

WALDORF-ASTORIA.
J. A. Fertig, Mrs. J. A. Fertig,
H. M. Phelps, J. R. McGinley,
Mrs. J. R. McGinley.

HOLLAND.
W. K. Jennings, C. R. Miller.
Miss Mary Page Powell, Franklin Camp.
Harry D. McCutcheon, Mrs. F. Childers.
Nathan Kaufman, William White, Jr.
John B. Woods.

EURTEVANT.
Mrs. M. G. Stebler, H. D. Hilderand.

ALBEMARLE.
Mrs. A. M. Hooper, Mrs. Lewis Boner.
Miss E. B. Rae.

BARTHOLDI.
S. R. Irving, Mrs. Irving.

ROSEMORE.
C. Rhea.

MANHATTAN.
J. T. Buhley.

ASTOR.
L. Stevens.

Society.

THE program committee appointed by Miss Kate C. McKnight to arrange for the morning and afternoon sessions of the general conference of club women of Western Pennsylvania today, at the Twentieth Century club has prepared a number of interesting topics for discussion. The morning session will be devoted almost entirely to the discussion of reorganization. It will begin at 10 o'clock, Miss Harding, president of the Twentieth Century club, delivering the address of welcome, Miss Kate C. McKnight, vice president of the State Federation of Pennsylvania Women, making the response. A paper on "The Advantages of the Federation" will be read by Mrs. W. Preston Straight of the Bradford Literary club, followed by a discussion on "Reorganization" opened by Miss Beulah Kennard. Miss Kennard's opening of the subject will be followed by five-minute talks in favor of "Reorganization" by Miss Eliza Armstrong of the Sorosis club and Mrs. John Fremont Shaffer of Colloquium. No one has been asked to present the other side. This will conclude the morning session. The visiting club women from a distance will be the guests of the committee of arrangements at luncheon at Hay's restaurant, Penn avenue, near Sixth street.

The afternoon session will begin at 1:30 o'clock with a paper on "Education" by Mrs. Frank G. Wallace of the Edgewood Civic club and sub-chairman of education for the western district of the state of Pennsylvania. "Good Citizenship and What It Involves" will be the subject of a talk by Mrs. Hugo Rosenburg of the Woman's club. Five-minute talks on "Children's Leagues" will be given by Miss Henrietta Speer of Washington, Pa., and Mrs. Charles D. Armstrong of the Wilkinsburg Woman's club. "The Curfew Law" will be discussed by Mrs. A. M. Sherman of the Titusville Woman's club, "Young People's Clubs" by Mrs. Mary Lippincott of Kingsley house and Miss Julia Schoenfeld of the Columbian Council of Jewish Women. "The Womanly Woman Versus the Unwomanly Woman" is the subject which will be presented by Mrs. L. L. Davis of the Homestead Woman's club, and "Why Should Women Serve on the School Directors?" by Mrs. Robert H. Bischoff of Edgewood. Mrs. John Wilson of the Irving club of Punxsutawney will talk on "Forestry" and Miss Elizabeth Cory of the Carnegie library and sub-chairman of libraries in the western district of the state of Pennsylvania will speak of "Libraries." "Municipal Affairs" will be treated by Mrs. Imogen Brashear Oakley, the sub-chairman of municipal affairs in the western district, and the "Smoke Nuisance" will form the subject of talk by Mrs. Peter M. Speer of the Oil City Belles Lettres club. Mrs. Alfred E. [illegible] Sorosis will tell of the "[illegible] Criminal Acts, and the "[illegible] Abuses" will be aired by Mrs. Franklin H. Ilams of the New Era club. Miss Kennard will preside, the "Vacation School and Summer Playgrounds," while Mrs. Caulfield Jones will conclude the program by telling of "The Power of the Press in Moulding Public Opinion."

How the average club woman of Western Pennsylvania expects to digest such a comprehensive program as this in the few hours of a morning and an afternoon session is beyond the comprehension of the average man.

Various Patriotic Gatherings.

The Mary Washington Memorial association will meet in Washington, D. C., next Wednesday, the members of the society also being Daughters of the American Revolution, who will be holding their annual congress in the capital city at that time. The Pittsburgh women who are members of the Mary Washington Memorial association are Mrs. William H. House, Mrs. Nathaniel Hogg, Mrs. Park Painter and Mrs. Sullivan Johnson. At the same time that the Daughters of the American Revolution are meeting the Children of the American Revolution will have their annual gathering in Washington. Miss Rose Morgan will go to Washington with her mother, Mrs. Joseph W. Marsh, on Sunday, and will be a representative of the Joan of Hart chapter, Children of the American Revolution. Mrs. Frank Murdoch expects to go as the alternate and Mrs. Mansfield A. Ross of Cornopolis who will be in Washington, will be the second alternate.

In the party of Pittsburgh women who are going to the Continental Congress, D. A. R. next week are Mrs. Howard Morton, Mrs. Chess of the East End and Mrs. Mansfield A. Ross.

The Pittsburgh delegates are interested in the candidacy for vice president general of Mrs. F. H. Crosby, of Ingleside-on-the-Hudson, N. Y., who is a sister of Mrs. Nathaniel Rose of this city. Mrs. Bedle, the wife of the New Jersey governor, who was chosen at the annual meeting of the National Society United States Daughters of 1812, in New York in January, is another candidate. Much interest will also be felt in the annual election of a Pennsylvania regent in Washington next week.

McBride—Byers.

Miss Marian J. McBride, daughter of Charles N. McBride, and George C. Byers of St. Louis, were married last night, at the residence of the bride's parents in Avalon. Only the immediate friends and relatives of the two families were present. The attendants were the Misses Myra McBride and Harriet Byers, sisters of the bride and groom, Helen Grant of Bellevue and Mary Morton of Pittsburgh. The groom was E. C. Douglass of St. Louis and W. N. McBride, Mr. and Mrs. Byers left last night for Florida, where they will remain until they go to St. Louis.

Club Women Meeting.

"Philadelphia and Its People" was the theme discussed at the meeting of the Sorosis club yesterday afternoon at the Hotel Schenley. Interesting suggestions for discussion of papers were drawn from Agnes Repplier's book, "Philadelphia: The Place and People." The Quaker City, with its rich historic interests, and its [illegible] Penn, the charms of [illegible] Mrs. Robert Peebles read an interesting paper on "Philadelphia and Its People," and Mrs. Frank Bell read a paper on "Philadelphia Society." Mrs. Bell's paper was especially interesting, as it was a personal impression of Philadelphia society, and was full of personal reminiscences. Mrs. Bell's paper was followed by a discussion of the topic, which was participated in by Mrs. Mary Lippincott, Mrs. Mary Lee Davis, Mrs. Mary Lee Hall, Mrs. Mary Lee Hall, Mrs. Mary Lee Hall

BRUSSELS TOWER OF FOURTEENTH CENTURY DESIGN

It Is Among the Sights to Be Seen on the Teachers' European Tour.

BELGIUM LOOKS FAMILIAR

Public Interest in the Contest Growing at an Unprecedented Rate for Good Reasons—Voters Should Mark Ballots With Care.

The Porte de Hal, Brussels, is a famous old building. It was erected in 881 and has stood the centuries well. It was used as a prison during the "reign of terror" in Belgium and many interesting tales are told tourists about the quaint, ancient pile.

Belgium should make at least some of the teachers who take the grand tour of Europe, offered by The Pittsburgh Gazette and The Chronicle Telegraph, feel at home. Writers who have toured that country have said that Liege was like a miniature Pittsburgh and that the country about Brussels strongly resembles Westmoreland county, Pennsylvania. Well, Pittsburgh and Westmoreland county have their attractive features for travelers, though all beholders may not appreciate them at the fall. Portions of Westmoreland are delightfully picturesque and Pittsburgh has charming aspects when not obscured by fog and smoke.

Why Interest Grows.

Interest in this tour continues to increase as the contest progresses at a rate never before seen in connection with such a project in Pittsburgh. This is because the offer is the most liberal ever made by any newspapers, both in the number of persons to be taken and in the scope of the territory visited, as well as in the fact that The Pittsburgh Gazette and Chronicle Telegraph propose to bear every expense, even tipping porters and waiters and to give each member of the party $50 to meet incidentals suggested by their individual tastes.

The itinerary of this tour, too, arranged by a traveler of much experience, is extremely attractive because of the variety of things to be seen and the admirable grouping of them to sustain the human interest essential to easy remembrance. The succession of natural scenery and the arts of man is such that there can be no clogging of the appetite by having too much of one thing at a time.

Wasting Good Ballots.

Yesterday's mail brought a bunch of ballots of Series B bearing neither name nor address. This sort of voting is inexcusably careless. Some candidates may lose an election simply because these ballots cannot be credited to the persons for whom they were intended. Of course, blank ballots cannot be counted.

The time for getting ballots of Series B into this office is getting short, but there is no call for such haste as results in omitting to properly fill out the blanks. It would be better to withhold such ballots and save the postage. Series B must be in by midnight Saturday. They will be accepted tomorrow as valentines, but when properly marked will be counted just the same as if received on other days. But they must be properly filled out as well as being sent in before midnight on Saturday to get into the count.

Miss Annie T. Morrison requests the announcement that she desires to retire from the contest in favor of Miss Sara Carney. It is not a good time to quit, just when others are starting.

Rules to Be Observed.

Ballots must be voted in series; those of one series must be deposited before midnight of the day the succeeding series closes. They must be filled out legibly, with full name of teacher, school where employed, town and county. They should be kept in good condition and sent in flat, not rolled or crumbled. If torn or mutilated they will not be counted.

The tour will be of more than six weeks' duration. Starts at Pittsburgh July 3; leaves New York July 5, by Atlantic transport line steamer; arrives London July 15; Antwerp, July 19; Brussels, July 20; Amsterdam, July 23; Cologne, July 24; Mayence, July 25; Heidelberg, July 26; Lucerne, July 28; The Rigi, July 29; Interlaken, July 30; Paris, August 1; London, August 6; Highlands, August 5; Glasgow, August 8; leaves Glasgow by Anchor Line steamer Columbia, August 9; expect to arrive in New York August 17.

Who Will Be Taken.

The party will be composed of 25 teachers of public schools, i. e., persons engaged in teaching in schools supported by public funds. These will be apportioned as follows: Twelve from the cities of Pittsburgh and Allegheny, six from Allegheny county outside of the two cities, and seven from those parts of Pennsylvania, Ohio and West Virginia outside of Allegheny county, but within the territory covered by the daily deliveries of The Pittsburgh Gazette and Chronicle Telegraph. They will be elected by the readers of these papers. Those having the largest votes in their respective divisions will be declared elected.

All expenses of the tour will be borne by The Pittsburgh Gazette and Chronicle Telegraph, and these papers will give each member of the party $50 in cash to gratify individual tastes. Representatives of the papers will accompany the party to arrange routes and look after the comfort of the guests.

The contest will close May 31, and the result will be announced as soon after all of the votes are in as possible. Ballots from The Pittsburgh Gazette and Chronicle Telegraph will count one vote each, and those from The Sunday Gazette will count for five votes each. The ballots will be found at the top of the second page in each issue, and attention is directed to the terms and conditions printed thereon. The whole ballot, including border, must be sent in.

Vote for the completion of the Highland reservoir according to the contract under the supervision of an engineer representing the public.

GREAT DOUBLE RECITAL.

Kreisler and Gerardy Captivate New York Audience by Their Exquisite Playing.

NEW YORK, Feb. 12.—The violin and 'cello recital of Fritz Kreisler and Jean Gerardy drew a great audience of music-lovers to Carnegie hall this afternoon. Gerardy's rendition of Haydn's concerto in D was greeted with prolonged applause, which was also bestowed on Kreisler's performance of Vieuxtemps' concerto No. 4, D minor.

The 'cellist followed with a sonata by Boccherini, and this was succeeded by a Bach solo by Kreisler. Gerardy's final contribution of "Aria Tre Giorni," by Pergolesi; "La Jeune Mere," by Schubert, and Popper's "Rhapsody Hongroise." The concert was brought to a successful conclusion by Kreisler's playing of selections of Russian airs by Wieniawski.

Vote to kill the deal for "mutual political and business advantage."

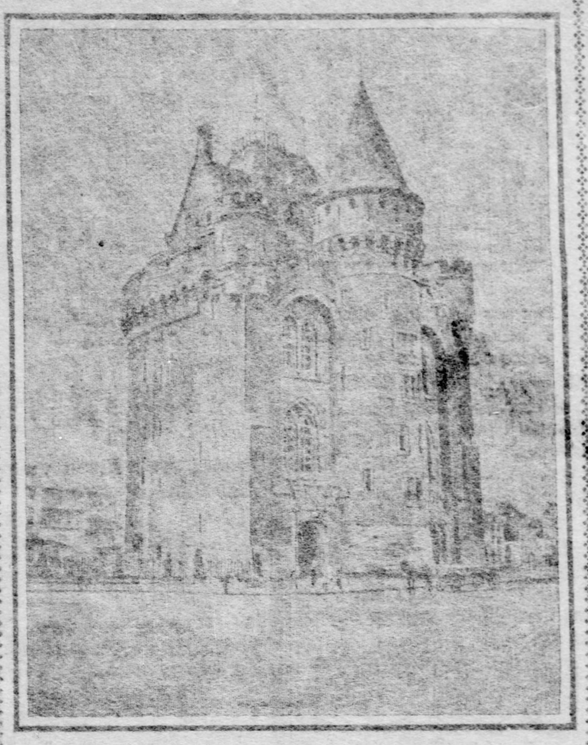
BALL PLAYER'S SENTENCE.

Stole $15,000 Worth of Diamonds and Gets Five Years to the Penitentiary.

GLENDIVE, MONT., Feb. 12.—Jerry McCarthy, a baseball player, has been sentenced to five years in the state penitentiary for the theft of nearly $15,000 worth of diamonds from the trunks of C. B. Claussen, a traveling salesman for a Minneapolis jewelry house.

McCarthy confessed the crime and led the officers to the cache where he had secreted the plunder. The trunks were rifled as they lay in the express room of the depot. The robbery was particularly bold.

Vote against the graft system in politics.



PORTE DE HAL, BRUSSELS.

This Edifice of the Fourteenth Century Will Be Seen by the Teachers Who Tour Europe as Guests of The Pittsburgh Gazette and Chronicle Telegraph.

SELECTION GIVES SATISFACTION

SECOND BRIGADE OFFICERS LIKE CONEWAGO AS A CAMP SITE.

Past Experience With It, When Stationed at Mt. Gretna, Has Convinced Them of Its Advantages—Somerset Had Been Favored in Pittsburgh.

The selection of the valley of the Conewago as the site for one of the four instruction camps for the national guard and a military post for a regiment of United States infantry has been received with great satisfaction in the Second brigade. Few other sites in Pennsylvania offer the same facilities for the maneuvers of large bodies of troops. Mt. Gretna alone will make one of the finest army posts in the country. Wood and water are there in abundance and two of the largest trunk lines in the country tap it on the north and south.

It is a series of mountain plateaus whose broad acres will be prepared and the camps located by engineers of the United States army. While Pittsburghers would have liked to have seen Somerset selected, the board of officers, who are practically soldiers, selected this site after full consideration.

It is not the old camp grounds that have been selected by the board, but an acreage extending from Conewago station to a short distance north of Mt. Gretna.

Extends Near the Reading.

The land extends west almost to the Reading railroad, and is bounded on the east by the Pennsylvania. Running up the valley to Lebanon and passing Mt. Gretna, the Cornwall & Lebanon railroad has facilities to haul the troops. This railroad has moved the division of the Pennsylvania national guard on several occasions and placed them in their camps within 24 hours of arrival.

The regimental post will possibly be erected where the Chautauqua grounds now are. This is about a half mile from Mt. Gretna station and in the most picturesque part of the grounds. The officers' quarters will likely be erected on the old camp grounds of the Third brigade, and on the spot where Gen. J. P. S. Gobin always spread his tent. The site is an ideal one, as Lake Conewago, with its ripples, is always in view.

Healthfulness a Factor.

The healthfulness of the region was one of the greatest arguments in favor of the Conewago valley. Some parts of it are not wholly desirable, but they can and will be vastly improved.

The selection of the valley of the Conewago was widely discussed in military circles yesterday.

Col. Frank L. Rutledge of the Eighteenth infantry said:

"I think I voice the sentiment of my officers when I say the selection made by the army board is entirely satisfactory. The officers that selected the site certainly know what are the necessary requirements for the encampment of 50,000 troops. The site is on the main line of the Pennsylvania railroad, and I understand the Reading railroad will run its line into the camp. There is plenty of wood and water, and all the necessities for the encampment of such a large body of soldiers at hand. The country is mountainous and the climate healthy, as was proven when the guard arrived at Mt. Gretna in rain and snow to be mustered into the volunteer service. I know the country, having ridden over it night and day while the Eighteenth regiment was stationed there awaiting the orders of the war department during the trouble with Spain.

Satisfied With Selection.

"While it was hoped that Somerset would be chosen by the board, I think the selection of this site will give general satisfaction to the guard of the state."

Maj. Alexander J. Henderson of the Eighteenth infantry said: "The selection of this site was made by a board composed of the leading officers of the United States army. They would not have recommended it if it did not meet with all the requirements for an encampment of 50,000 troops."

Lieut. Edward L. Kearns said: "The board was composed of the highest officers in the United States army. They have recommended the site after viewing several others. If it was not the most suitable for an encampment of the kind suggested, I don't think they would have made a recommendation in its favor."

Maj. R. M. Ewing of the Fourteenth infantry said: "Personally I don't like the selection made by the board. I had hoped Somerset would be selected, but if the government puts this site in good condition the Pennsylvania troops will have no complaint.

Service Must Be Bettered.

"Railroad facilities will have to be increased, as under present conditions it would take two weeks to move 50,000 troops in and out of the Conewago valley."

Maj. James E. McNary of the Eighteenth infantry said: "I think it will make an ideal camp ground. I wanted to see the board select the site at Somerset, but the members of the board are old soldiers and know the requisites for a camp for 50,000 troops."

W. A. Scott, Jr., head of the syndicate that held options on the Somerset site and was very active in setting forth its advantages, said: "The board made its selection after looking at the site at Somerset. I have nothing to say in regard to its selection in the Conewago valley."

Cast a postscriptless ballot.

HOME PROMISED TO MRS. SOFFEL

COMPANIONS OF HER YOUTH GIVE ASSURANCES OF FRIENDSHIP.

Charles Z. Ammonn, a Pittsburgh Hardware Merchant, and His Wife Have a Consoling Conversation With the Prisoner at the Butler Hospital.

BY GIBBONS MARSH.
Staff Correspondent.

BUTLER, Pa., Feb. 12.—Mrs. Soffel will always have a home to go to. Today her melancholy was driven away by two callers who have been her friends since childhood. They were Charles Z. Ammann and his wife. They came here for the expressed purpose of assuring Mrs. Soffel that their home, which she has known from infancy, is opened to her. The couple told her she could come from her sick chamber directly to their home and she would receive a hearty reception and would be treated as one of theirs. Mrs. Soffel was affected by the visit of her old friends and when they left, all trace of her former dejected mood seemed to have vanished.

There was nothing doleful about the conversation in the sick room. On the contrary, Mrs. Soffel laughed and chatted with her old friends about their relations of former days. She is decidedly better tonight, and unless some unlooked for complications set in her recovery seems certain.

Mrs. Soffel Was Pleased.

Mrs. Soffel was surprised and pleased when Mr. Ammann and his wife entered her room in the hospital. They came here at noon and went directly to the hospital.

"We want you to come to our home and remain there as one of us," he said to Mrs. Soffel. "We have been companions almost all our lives and we have known each other from childhood. The home you so often frequented before adversity overtook you is now yours. You can stay there as long as you care to. We want you to come as soon as you can and remain there until your troubles are ended.

"My old friend, you must cheer up," he said to Mrs. Soffel. "You still have the kindly feelings of your old friends. They will all stand by you."

Conveyed No Messages.

Mrs. Soffel thanked them both and they talked for almost two hours.

When seen by The Gazette correspondent, Mr. Ammann said: "I did not bring any message to Mrs. Soffel or am I carrying any from her. We wanted to console her. Mrs. Soffel did not speak with us about her flight from the jail. My wife and I were careful to avoid any reference to it. She once made some reference to her children, but we changed the trend of the conversation to incidents of old days.

"She seemed to be brighter and more contented when we left. That was the motive of our visit. I think we succeeded, or at least I hope we have. I shall always be her friend."

Mr. Ammann is a hardware merchant at No. 37 Shiloh street, South Side. The home he tendered Mrs. Soffel is in Mt. Lebanon. Mr. Ammann and his wife returned to Pittsburgh this afternoon.

Vote for a business-like administration of municipal affairs.

NO LEADING LADY.

Mrs. Soffel's Attorney Declines for Her a Stage Position.

R. B. Scandrett, attorney for Mrs. Soffel received the following telegram yesterday:

"West Virginia theatrical manager offers to furnish bail for Mrs. Soffel if she will appear as leading lady of his company. Answer. Wheeling Intelligencer."

Mr. Scandrett immediately answered: "Mrs. Soffel will not make an exhibition of herself."

Mr. Scandrett said last night:

"This offer is disgusting to me, as I know it will be to Mrs. Soffel. She is a woman who would not for a moment consider such an offer. I would not have made it public if I had not supposed it would be sent to the world by the paper making the offer, and I wanted my answer to appear as I sent it, and not as it may be warped and twisted for advertising purposes."

Vote against official protection of vice.

Lost Hair

It's risky, this losing of the hair. You may not get it back again. When the hair first begins to fall out use Ayer's Hair Vigor. It will stop the falling and will make new hair come in. And it always restores color to gray hair.

"My hair came out badly and was fast turning gray. I tried Ayer's Hair Vigor. It stopped my hair from coming out and completely restored the color." Mrs. M. D. Gray, North Salem, Mass.

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PROF. PEARSON LEAVES CHURCH AND UNIVERSITY

Methodist Church Not Yet Ready to Accept His Advanced Views.

HIS SERVICES VALUABLE

Faculty of Northwestern University Sorry to Lose Him—Congregation Issues Him a Letter, but Afterward Recalls It.

[BY ASSOCIATED PRESS TO THE GAZETTE.]

CHICAGO, Feb. 12.—Prof. Charles W. Pearson, whose recent utterances against the infallibility of certain portions of the Bible occasioned comment in Methodist church circles, today resigned as professor of English literature at Northwestern university. The resignation, it is stated, was voluntary.

Prof. Pearson asked for a letter of dismissal from the Methodist church. The letter was given, but afterward recalled, as its possession by Dr. Pearson would indicate that he was in good standing in the church.

The professor is to continue in charge of his classes until a successor is found and his salary is to continue until January 1, 1903. His letter follows:

I hereby tender my resignation as professor of English literature in Northwestern university. With the kindliest feeling toward you all and best wishes for the future welfare of the institution to which I have given so many years of service, I am,

Very respectfully yours,
C. W. PEARSON.

In a statement given out by Secretary Crandon the trustees point out the excellence of Prof. Pearson's services during the 20 years he has been connected with the faculty and aver that they feel great regret at the severance of relations.

In regard to his seeking a letter of dismissal from the church, Prof. Pearson said:

"I made an attempt to inaugurate a new policy, but the changes proposed, though I do not doubt that they will be accepted in the comparatively near future, are not welcome. I deemed it my duty to make my plea in the church and in the university. The plea having been rejected, it seems equally my duty to withdraw from both. I expect, as opportunity offers, to continue the work upon which I have entered."

TORRANCE IS PRESIDENT.

Allegheny Man Elected to Preside Over State Board of Charities.

HARRISBURG, PA., Feb. 12.—Francis J. Torrance of Allegheny was elected president of the state board of charities, vice Gen. Isaac Wister of Philadelphia, resigned, at its annual meeting today in this city. Cadwallader Biddle of Philadelphia was re-elected general agent and secretary.

Vote against the conversion of the filtration scheme into a ten-million dollar job.

KILLED BY AN AUTOMOBILE.

New York Boy Was the Victim—Chauffeur Arrested on a Charge of Homicide.

NEW YORK, Feb. 12.—Henry Thiss, a 7-year-old boy, was struck and killed today by an automobile occupied by Edward R. Thomas, son of Gen. Samuel Thomas, and three friends. Thomas was arrested, charged with homicide and was released on bail.

The automobile which struck the boy is known as the "white flyer" because of its great speed. It formerly belonged to William K. Vanderbilt, Jr. Edward R. Thomas was elected president of the Seventh National bank of this city at the time of the Marquand failure last June, but he served only one day, the comptroller of the currency having ordered the bank's suspension. He married Miss Lee of Louisville, Ky., last June.

The main issue of the election is whether the people will ratify Stone's acts.

Planing Mill Burned.

PHILADELPHIA, Feb. 12.—Gustav Berger's planing mill, situated in the northeastern section of the city, was destroyed by fire today, entailing a loss estimated at $40,000.

Vote against the control of city government by bargain and sale at Harrisburg.

Lairdi's Secret of Beauty Bloom of Youth

Every Lady desires to be considered handsome. The most important adjunct to perfect beauty is a clear, smooth, soft and beautiful skin. Ladies afflicted with Tan, Freckles, Rough or Discolored Skin and other Blemishes should lose no time in applying this old established and delightful toilet preparation.

It will immediately obliterate all such imperfections, and is perfectly harmless.

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This lot consists of Satin Foulards, Twilled Foulards, China and India Silks that have been selling from $1.00 up to $2.25 a yard—commencing today

68 Cents a Yard

Fifth Avenue and Market Street.

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I use Ripans Tabules for periodic headaches, always with quick relief. Only last evening a lady asked me what I thought good for pain in the stomach from eating rich food, and I gave her a Ripans Tabule. Today she tells me she has bought a package, the one I gave her helped her so much.

At Druggists.

The Five Cent packet is enough for an ordinary occasion.

The Family Bottle, 60 cents, contains a supply for a year.

Meyer Jonasson & Co.

In pursuance of their established policy not to carry over merchandise from one season to another, will, therefore, after stock-taking, offer remarkable values at their

CLEARANCE SALE,

Thursday, Friday, Saturday, February 13th, 14th, 15th.

JACKET DEPARTMENT.

A few Tan Coats. Former prices $15.00 and $18.00, at $3.90

Jackets of unfinished Worsted and Cheviot, box coats or tight fitting back with box front. Former prices $13.75 and $15.75, reduced to $7.90

About 25 Newmarkets and Raglans—broken lots—former prices $15.00 to $35.00, at $9.75

Ulsters of Golf Cloth and rain-proof material. Former prices $17.50 and $20.00, at $12.75

An assortment of different styles of high-class tailored Short Jackets of the best materials only, including corduroy. Former prices $20.00 to $30.00, at.. $12.75

A limited number of fancy Jackets. Former price $45.00, at $15.00

Four Velour Coats, trimmed with Astrakhan, Mink and Skunk. Reduced from $75.00 to $25.00

A limited number of fine Evening Wraps at one-half the original price.

SKIRT DEPARTMENT.

About 50 black and colored Walking Skirts will be closed out at..... $4.50

Dress Skirts of superior quality black Broadcloth and Cheviot, with stitched millinery folds, made over drop lining; reduced from $7.75 and $8.75 to..... $6.50

A lot of Walking Skirts of black unfinished Worsted or Cheviot, stitched flounce and straps—high grade skirts. Former prices $9.75 to $10.75, reduced to.... $7.90

An assortment of about 50 separate Dress Skirts, consisting of broken lots—all this season's skirts. Former prices $10.75 to $14.50, at..... $8.25

Different styles of highest grade Broadcloth Skirts. Former prices $22.50 to $27.50, at $19.75

Several styles of finest grade Walking Skirts, made of extra quality Black Kersey; reduced from $16.50 to ... $13.75

SUIT DEPARTMENT.

Ladies' and Misses' Tailored Suits, blouse, eton and tight fitting styles. Former prices $18.00 to $25.00, reduced to.. $10.00

Ladies' Tailored Suits of Broadcloth and Cheviot, SILK LINED THROUGHOUT (skirt made over silk petticoat). Former prices $25.00 to $35.00, at.. $19.75

Tailored Suits, double-breasted, tight-fitting style, of extra quality Broadcloth and Cheviot. Blue, black and brown shades. SILK LINED THROUGHOUT. Skirt made over silk petticoat. Reduced from $32.50 to $22.50

A limited number of fine tailor-made Suits of Velvet and Broadcloth material. Original prices $57.50 to $85.00, reduced to..... $32.50

A lot of Walking Suits of unfinished Worsted and Cheviot. Former price $20.00, reduced to $9.75

Another lot of Ladies' Walking Suits of Cheviot and unfinished Worsted. Former prices $25.00 and $30.00, at $15.00

Demi-tailored Dresses. Former prices $20.00 and $30.00, reduced to ..... $10.75 and $15.00

WAIST DEPARTMENT.

Moreenette Waists in black and colors, reduced from $3.90 to $2.50

About 100 French Taffeta Waists, representing broken lots. Former prices $5.00 to $8.75, at $3.90

A limited number of fancy Dress Waists, slightly soiled. Former prices $15.00 to $22.50, at $3.90

Fancy Velvet Waists. Former prices $12.75 to $15.75, at..... $6.75

The entire stock of high-class tailored French Flannel Waists has been divided into two lots, which will be offered at $2.90 and $4.50 (Former prices $5.00 to $7.50.)

FUR DEPARTMENT.

Genuine Alaska Seal Coat, London dye, highest grade especially selected skins; reduced from $400.00 to..... $275.00

Genuine Alaska Seal Coat, best London dye; reduced from $350.00 to..... $225.00

Persian Lamb Coats, Ex Ex quality, with four stripe dark Eastern Mink or Chinchilla collar, reveres and cuffs; reduced from $350.00 to..... $200.00

Plain Persian Lamb Coat, XXX quality; reduced from $75.00 to..... $50.00

Near Seal Coats, XXX quality, 22 or 24 inches long, brocade lining; reduced from $32.50 and $35.00 to..... $25.00

The entire assortment of Fur Lined Capes in all desirable lengths and materials. Former prices $35.00 to $60.00; reduced to..... $25.00

Blended Russian Sable Set (Muff and Boa); reduced from $250.00 to..... $150.00

Natural Hudson Bay Sable Set (Muff and Boa); reduced from $185.00 to..... $100.00

Natural Russian Crown Sable Scarf of superior quality; reduced from $250.00 to.. $125.00

Blue and Gray Fox Boas, 84 inches long, with natural brush tails and four paws; reduced from $35.00 to..... $15.00

A large selection of extra fine Brown Marten Scarfs, with 6 natural tails 14 inches long; reduced from $9.75, $12.00 and $13.50 to..... $6.75

Natural Stone Marten Scarfs—XXX quality, with 6 Sable Fox tails; reduced from $15.00 to..... $8.00

Imitation Stone Marten Scarfs, with 6 Sable Fox tails—reduced from $4.50 to..... $3.00 (Muff to match, $5.00.)

The entire stock of Collarettes, made of natural Hudson Bay Sable, Chinchilla, Blended Baum Marten and Black Lynx, at one-half the former price.

The entire stock of Electric Seal Muffs, which have sold at $2.50, has been reduced to..... 95c

UNDERWEAR DEPARTMENT.

Cambric Night Gowns; reduced from 50c to..... 30c

Four styles of Cambric Night Gowns; reduced from 75c to.... 50c

Two styles of lace and ribbon trimmed Night Gowns; reduced from $1.00 to..... 80c

Nainsook Night Gowns; trimmed with blind embroidery; reduced from $3.00 to..... $2.25

Two styles of Cambric Drawers, embroidered or hemstitched and tucked; reduced from 50c to..... 35c

Another lot of Cambric Drawers, trimmed with blind embroidery, at..... 45c

Nainsook Drawers, with large hemstitched and tucked umbrella flounce. Regular value 90c; reduced to..... 55c

Nainsook and Cambric Drawers, 90c and $1.00; reduced to..... 85c

Nainsook Drawers, hemstitched and lace and ribbon trimmed; reduced from $1.75 to..... $1.25

Three styles of Corset Covers, 35c and 40c; reduced to..... 25c

Corset Covers of Nainsook or Lawn, ribbon trimmed, buttoned front or back; 60c; reduced to.. 45c

Two styles of high-grade Corset Covers; reduced from $1.75 and $2.00 to..... $1.50

A large number of White Petticoats will be offered at decided reductions. Owing to the large assortment it is impossible to give a detailed description of all reduced Cambric Petticoats.

NECKWEAR DEPARTMENT.

Closing-out sale of Winter and Mid-Season Neckwear at unusual reductions.

$1.50 Stocks and Ties ..... 50c | $2.50 and $2.00 Stocks 75c

Handsome Chiffon, Tulle and Feather Boas at half price.

SIXTH AND LIBERTY STREETS.

The Spalding Faction Gains a Victory

THE FOUR-CLUB CIRCUIT LOOKS LIKE SURE GO

New Yorkers Now Figuring Freedman Out of Baseball.

SPALDING'S NEAT VICTORY

That Meeting of the Rules Committee Regarded as a Clever Coup for Organized Baseball—Short Circuit Is Regarded as a Winner.

[SPECIAL TELEGRAM TO THE GAZETTE.]

NEW YORK, Feb. 12.—Barney Dreyfuss has made a positive statement that rather than play ball in any league with Freedman and Brush, he would go on under Spalding's guidance with a four-club league, and certainly no one can blame Dreyfuss for making this statement, for it is a well-known fact that it was the plan of the trust schemers to force Dreyfuss out of baseball, take his team, divide up his players and give them little or no return. That was the plan of the trust, which the Spaldingites could not stand for at the last meeting.

On top of the Dreyfuss statement comes the statement of C. H. Ebbetts of the Brooklyn clubs that he will go on with Spalding in this fight to a finish, if necessary, which means that he, too, will go on with a four-club league, if they have got to. Ebbetts is in practically the same position as Dreyfuss is with the Freedman four. It is known to all baseball cranks that it was the intention at the end of the ten years' agreement to put the Brooklyn club out of business, trust or no trust, and lay for Ebbetts and the Brooklyn stockholders, but the league itself decided that the termination of the ten-year Indianapolis agreement did not terminate the league's existence.

Four-Club Circuit Would Pay.

There has been a great deal said about the advisability and the feasibility of the four-club league going on. Old baseball men think it is possible, and that it will be a good money maker, for the league in the early '90s went through with a five-club schedule with a reasonable degree of success. This would enable the four clubs, Pittsburgh, Brooklyn, Chicago and Philadelphia, to be at stronger and better players than they would otherwise, and again the California league, which has been a pronounced success, has played seven seasons with only four clubs, and experience has taught them that four good clubs, with active rivalry and teams representing prominent cities, is much better than having six or eight clubs with one half of them representing small and indifferent cities.

St. Louis is in a demoralized condition, and any league that carries St. Louis with a syndicate ownership, without pressing and players, would be more of a hardship to the league than it would be to play without them. The same applies more or less to Cincinnati. Brush lives in Indianapolis and has not the real backing of the baseball "fans" of Cincinnati.

Boston Owners Unpopular.

The Boston triumvirate have been unpopular all their lives and are unpopular today. They have few good players. The Knickerbocker club with Freedman in control is another baseball impossibility. The public has no confidence in Freedman and notwithstanding the big population, the club has not made money for its stockholders, and with Freedman in the club it would certainly be a hindrance for any one to go out with New York as a part of any league. Thus it will be seen that the Spalding four have all the better of the argument.

Clubs like Pittsburgh, Brooklyn, Chicago and Philadelphia would have the prestige of the old-time National league. It is said in some quarters that the Freedman four will endeavor to get a few additional cities to go with them, but that is a doubtful problem, as very few men would like to put money in baseball and tie up with Freedman and Brush. The papers throughout the country, and in fact, the press generally, would ridicule any league with Freedman and Brush connected.

Was a Spalding Victory.

The fact that the representatives of all the leading leagues of America met at Buffalo to frame a uniform code of playing rules is distinctly a victory for A. G. Spalding and organized baseball.

Mr. Spalding has plans whereby professional baseball of America will play on what he has termed "Organized ball," each league working in harmony with the other, and the meeting at Buffalo comprised all of the leagues of America, which speaks well for the efforts of Ban Johnson and himself.

Vote for home rule against Stone rule.

ANOTHER SKATING RECORD.

Nilsson Toyed With Two-Mile Mark. Heats Decided in the Amateur Events.

The lovers of speed skating who assembled to witness John Nilsson's effort against time last night, were treated to another world's indoor record, the champion going two miles in 5:47 1-5, while his former record, also made at Duquesne garden, was 6:03.

The semi-final heats of the races for boys under 16 years were also held, with three qualifying. Allen Bright won the first with W. F. Conn second and Clarence McFarland third, the time being 1:47. Fulton, Miller and Reisfar were the other starters.

In the second heat Richard Muller was the winner, with Frank Spuhler second and Charles Callahan third, the time, 1:45 equaling Bright's time in the qualifying heats.

Two heats of the two-mile championship event with three qualifying were decided. The first try was a poor start and it was called off, the second heat being then decided. George Wherle took the pace and worked hard, but on the stretch Lawrence Bright went to the front and won handily by several yards, with Wherle second and M. J. Hasley third. Time, 6:35.

The first heat was again started and the fourth starter, McCarthy, was retired with a broken skate. Clarence Preston, the champion, and Arch Williams, jockeyed for the pace, but Preston when he exerted himself soon drew ahead and won by a lap and a half over Frank Ouston and half a lap over Williams. His time was 6:28.

Vote for home rule against Stone rule.

Forbes Will Fight in England.

NEW YORK, Feb. 12.—Harry Forbes of Chicago, bantam weight, has been matched to fight Jim Williams of England before the National Sporting club of London. The boys are to battle on Derby night, next May, at 116 pounds, for the bantam championship of the world and a liberal purse.

Put the seal of condemnation on the sale of Pittsburgh.

On and After

Thursday, 20th inst., the Pennsylvania railroad "New York and Chicago Limited," leaving Pittsburgh at 7:10 a. m., will make direct connection in Broad street station, Philadelphia, for Atlantic City, arriving there at 6:35 p. m.

E. W. Grove

This signature is on every box of the genuine Laxative Bromo-Quinine Tablets the remedy that cures a cold in one day

WUP ATHLETES ARE VERY BUSY

THE COLLEGE GYMNASIUM IS A SCENE OF GREAT ACTIVITY.

New Additions to the Athletic Ranks Make the Outlook a Very Promising One—The Wrestlers Are After Honors This Spring.

Along with the unusual an gratifying activity in the gymnasium of the Western university and enthusiastic athletes of the college have recently had cause for rejoicing in the augmenting of their forces by two athletes from State College who are expected to shine at Wup. One is Bennett, who played left half on the football 11 at State last season, and is expected to strengthen the football squad, while Buka, who is a strong sprinter, is the other, both having started their attendance at Wup within a week or two.

There is no mistaking the basketball activity in the college gym these days, and a match contest between the freshmen and sophomore teams to be decided sometime before the end of the week is now holding the interest.

The athletes of the gym are all busily practicing now for the competitive gymnastic drill, which takes place February 28, while the wrestlers and fencers are not idle. The present all-round champion gymnast from last year is Piper i. Addy, '03, while Henry T. Johnston, '04, holds the honors at club swinging. John C. Deltz, '06, is the champion fencer of the school, and it is expected will have to work hard to retain the honor another year.

William K. Hansen, a graduate, holds the wrestling honors of the college at present. He won the heavy, middle and welterweight contests last year. Earl W. Paul, also a graduate, won the lightweight honors. The best wrestler at college this year, and one who has demonstrated his worth as one of the best amateurs in Western Pennsylvania, is Jamison, who entered the medical school this year. He competed in the A. A. U. championships last season and made a good showing.

In addition to the gymnastic competition for the college letters on February 28 there will be a public exhibition on April 18. Though the committee has not made full arrangements for the Western Pennsylvania intercollegiate track meet to be held under the auspices of Wup this year, June 7 has been fixed for the date. Decoration day has been set for the interdepartment meet, and May 16 for the annual interclass meet. The interdepartment meet is something new, and there promises to be great rivalry. The intercollegiate meet is to be held at Schenley park.

The Shadyside team defeated the Wup Medical team in an interscholastic league hockey game at Duquesne garden yesterday afternoon by a score of 1 to 0. The individual efforts of the losers were without result, so they attempted to win by team work. But their team work was broken up each time by the Shadyside boys. Rose made the only goal of the game in the first half after a hard battle in the middle of the rink. The game was rather rough in spots. Overend, Hutchinson and Preston being put out of the game for two minutes each on account of tripping and various other little things that were not approved by Referee Curtin. Phillips of Wup did some fine playing at times. Lineup:

Shadyside—1.		W. U. P. Meds.—0.
Hall	Goal	McCready
Hutchinson	Point	McKenna
Preston	Cover point	Muehlbronner
Rose	Center	McManus
Overend	Left wing	McLain
Kay	Right wing	McMurray
Abl	Forward	Phillips

Goal—Rose. Referee—Curtin.

Vote against disfranchisement of the people by official trickery.

THE DOUBLE CROSS.

Frank Erne Left the Quaker City When He Heard of an Ugly Job.

NEW YORK, Feb. 12.—(Special.)—The failure of Frank Erne of Buffalo to meet Joe Gans of Baltimore at the Penn Art club of Philadelphia on Monday night is widely discussed by local sporting followers yesterday, including many who made the trip to the Quaker city in vain. Erne was in town all day, and in answer to all questions he said that he learned on Sunday to "do" him and that he simply refused to be victimized. Men who say they know the inside of this latest pugilistic fiasco were talking freely at various sporting resorts last night. They said that Erne was advised of a scheme to "double cross" him and that he left Philadelphia as soon as he was convinced that all was not right.

As a matter of fact when Erne and Gans made this match for six rounds they saw that there would be big gate money in it, and they secretly agreed to split the money in equal parts. As Erne had not had sufficient time to prepare himself for the mill, Gans, it is said, agreed to post $1,000 as a guarantee that he would attempt to knock the Buffalo boxer out. In other words, Erne and Gans had a private agreement to box six fast rounds which, as they could be no referee's decision, would settle nothing. Both men are wonderfully clever, and for that reason it is believed that they could put up a bout that would excite suspicion. With Erne confident that no man could knock him, Rickard, the manager of Gans, prepared to make a killing. Gans, who has been in strict training for several months, is in superb condition just now, so that Herbert has a chance to win the lightweight championship for his man by catching Erne unawares. According-ly the "good thing" was whispered along Broadway on Monday afternoon, those who knew what was coming off offering $50 to $37.50 that Gans would win.

As there was no referee's decision to be looked for, those who wanted their backs were accused of "knowing something." Erne and his friends got wind of a deal, and when a certain sporting man told Erne that Herford was trying to bet $5,000 on Gans, the Buffalo boxer became suspicious. Erne was big fat and in no shape at all for a hard fight. When he got to Philadelphia on Monday noon he sat down to put up his $1,000 forfeit. In behalf of the latter Herford refused to post more than $100, which was conclusive proof in Erne's estimation that if he got into the ring he would be "double crossed." So Erne packed up his little grip and came back to this city, still the technical lightweight champion.

Rescue the city from the postscript administration.

DRAWN GAMES PLAYED.

The Chess Masters Are Still Hard at Work.

MONTE CARLO, Feb. 12.—Today's program of the international chess tournament provided for the playing of adjourned and drawn games, of which there were nine. When the time for the midday recess arrived, Janowski and Tschigorin had scored victories over Eisenberg and Algin respectively, and draws had resulted in the contests between Wolf and Teichmann, Schleicnter and Marco and Mieses and Grunberg.

In the afternoon session Algin beat Napier and Mason and Maroczy drew a second time. The seventh round will be played tomorrow.

WILL BE KEPT BUSY.

McClelland and Conboy Preparing for Fight.

Jack McClelland is rounding into good shape at Corcoran's Wood street gymnasium along with Young Conboy of Braddock. McClelland has been engaged to appear in Chicago on February 19 in a six-round contest, and will also appear February 22. Conboy meets Mike McDermott of Homestead on February 24 at catchweights for a side bet of $200 and the entire receipts.

Billy Corcoran, who is looking after their interests, says both boys are getting strong and in another week will be able to meet any one in their class. The Acme A. C. of Chicago have agreed to give McClelland three fights with the best card that can be provided.

Vote in the interest of the taxpayers and not the taxeaters.

TURF CONGRESS ACTS ON MANY NEW TURF RULES

Effort to Make the Rule on Hopples More Severe Failed.

HORSE OWNERS BARRED

They Cannot Act in Any Official Capacity in Which Their Horse is Entered—New Order for the Sandwiching of Heats.

[BY ASSOCIATED PRESS TO THE GAZETTE.]

NEW YORK, Feb. 12.—The National trotting congress held its biennial session here today. The committee on credentials reported 222 delegates, many represented by proxy.

Mr. Willis moved an amendment forbidding betting on heats in a race and calling for the expulsion of any member who should allow it. It was not adopted, 295 votes being against it and only 4 votes for it.

The committee on nominations reported for the re-election of the present officers, including the members of the board of review, J. Malcolm Forbes of Boston, John C. Welty of Canton, O., and R. H. Plant of Macon, Ga.

A change making the rule against hopples more stringent, but requiring action by the American Trotting association to become effective, was proposed by Mr. Jewett, but was voted down, the present rule remaining as it was.

Hard on Disqualified Horses.

A new rule, 16, section 1, referring to disqualification, was adopted. It provides: "Owners who start horses, riders or drivers who ride or drive and all horses started at meetings conducted by persons under penalty by either the National Trotting association or the American Trotting association shall, by operation of the rules, be henceforth disqualified from the right to compete on grounds of members which disqualify action may be referred only by order of the board of review and upon payment of a fine of $100, to go to this association, the fine to apply to the horse or horses disqualified, regardless of any change of ownership."

Another change provides that written or telegraphed notice for the drawing of a horse shall be given instead of the oral notice, sometimes given in the past. Another change provides that no heat shall be called after sunset.

Rule 24, section 2, was amended so as not to permit any person interested in any horse in a race to act "in any official capacity in that race." This is broader than the recommendation of the conference which mentioned only "judges and timers."

New Rule on Heat Sandwiching.

Rule 31 was amended so as to allow printed conditions of a race to arrange for other than the usual number of heats. The rule covering sandwiching of heats was changed so as to allow the sandwiching of heats of three races on one day.

Rule 35, section 3, was left unchanged after a long discussion over a proposition to allow judges to declare any heat void for pulling or other irregularities. Mr. Welch urged that the greatest penalty now enforceable against persons guilty of such practices was to "give them their money back." The rule regarding distances was also left unchanged, although the conference committee recommended a reduction of ten feet. A new section allowing the waiving of distance on consent was also adopted.

Besides other penalties, the fine for allowing suppression of the correct time was increased from $100 to $500. A board for examining records was established to consist of the presidents of the National, American and Register associations.

The following was added to rule 44 by a vote of 227 to 12: "Records cannot be made on bars incurred in trails of speed where there is no pool selling, bookmaking or other public betting on the event, no money competed for, no entrance charged or collected from competing horses, no admission fee to the gate or grandstand and no privileges of any kind sold. Such performances shall not be considered public races."

To Abolish Voting by Proxy.

Mr. Willis moved that when the congress adjourned it be until March 12, at which time, after notice, the question of abolishing the practice of voting by proxy be considered.

On motion of Mr. Wilson, it was voted to petition the United States congress to allow, on application, an extension of six months for the period of six months during which a Canadian owner of a horse may import the same in bond and free of duty.

The next congress will be held in this city at a place to be determined by the president of the association.

Vote to take control of city affairs out of the hands of Stone's agents.

PREMIUMS FOR CATS.

The Pet Stock Show Will Have Many Entries.

Secretary J. A. Moore, of the Pittsburgh Fanciers' club last night announced that about 2,500 entries had been received for the poultry, pigeon and pet stock show in Old City hall next week. All entries mailed before midnight Monday will be accepted, and it is expected that several hundred will be added to the list.

Cat entries will be received until Saturday, owing to a recent offer by Mrs. Luella Hodges of Knoxville, of a silver cup, a silver pitcher, a silver bon bon tray and a silver fern dish for the best cats in the four classes, which include both the long-haired and short-haired varieties. These special premiums, in addition to those offered by the club, should be the means of inducing many entries, and for this reason it was decided to give the owners of the feline pets some days of grace in which to take advantage of the offer. The show will open Monday forenoon, and the judges will commence work Tuesday.

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THE WALKING MATCH.

Hegelman and Cavanaugh Still Hold a Strong Lead.

NEW YORK, Feb. 12.—The fifty-sixth hour of the walking match saw only 24 teams still on the track. The men kept going about slowly, some of the tail-enders limping at an average of three miles to the hour. Hegelman and Cavanaugh continue to draw away from the other teams. The scores of the ten leading teams at 9 o'clock tonight were: Hegelman and Cavanaugh, 414.5; Sheldon and Guerrero, 398.2; Fahey and Metkus, 387.3; Golden and Tracy, 377.5; Glick and Howarth, 359.8; Davis and Carroll, 354.2; Feeney and Feeney, 350.3; Heer and Heer, 344.2; Dean and Campbell, 338.2; Fallon and Harrington, 336.7.

SPORTING NOTES.

The Riverview Reserves of Allegheny defeated the Homestead Tigers at basketball by a score of 7 to 6.

On Monday night the Boquets defeated the Jolly Five 27 to 8 and also defeated the Standard A. C. 35 to 1. All third teams address Edgar Darbes, 14 Wilmot square.

The Imperial Jrs. will hold a meeting next Monday evening to take action on the coming season. The following members are requested to be at the Kingsley house at 7:30 sharp: Booth, Boyle, Thomes, Marks, Comaskey, Crawford, Conway, Breman, McSteen, Curley and Hughes.

BULLMAN'S WORK PROVED COSTLY

RODE THE WINNER, BUT WAS DISQUALIFIED BY JUDGE.

Bumped Into Artvis at Head of Stretch and Drove Him to the Rail—Decision Gave Long Shot Players a Good Thing.

[BY ASSOCIATED PRESS TO THE GAZETTE.]

SAN FRANCISCO, Feb. 12.—The principal incident at Oakland today was a disqualification in the 3-year-old event. Bullman, on Sylvia Talbot, the 3 to 5 favorite, bumped Artvis at the head of the stretch and carried him into the rail. In a driving finish Sylvia Talbot won by a nose from Artvis, but O'Connor claimed a foul and the filly was placed last. Tom Mitchell, a 50 to 1 shot, secured the place, and Gavota, quoted at 100 to 1, and 6 to 1 for the show, was placed third. O'Connor, who rode Duckoy, the odds-on favorite in the fourth race, broke one of his stirrup straps. The saddle turned, and O'Connor could not do the gelding justice and was beaten by Diderot and Galanthus. Formero, played from 5 to 1 to 2 to 1, took the third race from Picador. Bab, the favorite, made a poor showing and the stewards have decided to investigate.

An Easy Thing for Merops.

First race, ⅞ of a mile, selling—Merops, 107, Hoar, 2 to 1, won; Huachuca, 102, Jackson, 8 to 5, second; Urchin, 105, Redfern, 5 to 1, third. Time, 1:31. Darlene, The Miller, Chandoo, The Singer and Harry Thatcher also ran.

Second race, 7-16 of a mile—Artvis, 112, O'Connor, 8 to 5, won; Tom Mitchell, 102, Reilly, 50 to 1, second; Gavota, 110, Troxler, 10 to 1, third. Time, 43½. High Chancellor also ran. Sylvia Talbot won, but was disqualified for fouling.

Third race, 1⅛ miles, selling—Formero, 111, J. Woods, 3 to 1, won; Picador, 105, O'Connor, 4 to 1, second; Bab, 104, Hoar, 7 to 10, third. Time, 2:02⅗. Master Lee and Loyal S. also ran.

Fourth race, mile and a sixteenth, selling—Diderot, 101, Ransch, 3½ to 1, won; Galanthus, 101, L. Jackson, 8 to 1, second; Duckoy, 108, O'Connor, 3 to 5, third. Time, 1:52. Morton also ran.

Fifth race, futurity course—Shell Mount, 113, O'Connor, 4 to 1, won; Colonial Girl, 111, Burns, 8 to 5, second; Wyoming, 108, J. Woods, 4 to 1, third. Time, 1:14. Sir Dougal, Afghan and Sea Queen also ran.

Sixth race, thirteen-sixteenths mile, purse, maiden 2-year-olds—Mineina Georgie West, Jennie Medium, Baby Mine, Irish Lassie, 105; Elliston, 108; Little Margaret, 96.

Third race, futurity course, selling—Scallywag, Gibraltar, 104; Sea Lion, 105; Pine Shot, Ned Dennis, 101; Charsndo, 108.

Fourth race, futurity course, selling—Marello, Mariechina, Sir Claus, 109; Tocchi, Jungfrau, 112; Senator Price, Chandoo, 114; Bassenzo, 114.

Fifth race, five furlongs, selling—Sam Lution, 98; Alzura, 101; Artgato, Halmettic, 96; Patsy Dolan, 111; Little York, 89; Foul Play, 104; Rasp, 109; Sand de Lee, 94; El Rey, 109; Graf, 102.

Sixth race, mile and 50 yards, selling—Satan, Miscreant, Prosper, Lodestar, Nilgar, Hungarian, 111; Billy Lyons, Quiz II., 106; Col. Ballantyne, 109.

THE NEW ORLEANS RACES.

Only Two Favorites Failed to Make Good.

NEW ORLEANS, Feb. 12.—Frank Rice and Bristol were the beaten favorites today. Weather cloudy; track fast.

First race, 1¼ miles, selling—Little Lois, 106, B. Robertson, 18 to 1, won; Lillian Rice, 105, Monroe, 26 to 1, second; The Messenger, 107, Coyne, 6 to 1, third. Time, 1:59. Little Tommy Tucker, Jim Jam, Azua, Lovable, Glade Run, Dandy H, La Moselle and Fanny Mauz also ran.

Second race, 4 furlongs—Maverick, 107, Young, 5 to 2, won; Jim Gaffney, 102, T. Walsh, 7 to 1, second; Frank Rice, 110, F. Jones, 9 to 5, third. Time, :49½. Modern Officer, Royal Deceiver, Honda and Lady Spois also ran.

Third race, steeplechase, handicap, short course—Mirabeau, 131, C. Wilson, 18 to 1, won; Mr. Rose, 132, Cassidy, 7 to 1, second; Pristal, 158, Penn, 11 to 10, third. Time, 3:26½. Ceylon, Waterfrost and Harve B also ran.

Fourth race, handicap, 1 1-16 miles—Intrusive, 128, O'Connor, 4 to 1, won; River Coin, 90, Louden, 7 to 1, second; Petit Maitre, 126, J. Dean, 5 to 2, third. Time, 1:47½. Roads also ran.

Fifth race, 6 furlongs—St. Cuthbert, 109, Odom, even, won; John Grigsby, 107, Mc-Walsh, 10 to 1, second; Prowl, 99, J. Miller, 20 to 1, third. Time, 1:14½. Pigeon Post, Ogle, Egyptian Prince, Pickle Salad, Paldee and Kiss Quick also ran.

Sixth race, selling, 1⅛ miles—Nalay, 109, Odom, even, won; Uncle Elkin, 103, Minder, 6 to 1, second; Kingsfield, 88, Cassidy, 10 to 1, third. Time, 2:02⅗. Star Cotton, Deloraine and Sea Nymph also ran.

Entries for Thursday.

First race, mile and 70 yards, selling—Hayward Hunter, 99; Josie F., 93; Godagg, 98; Duke of Elgin, 100; Flying Eagle, Sam Lazarus, Dutch Glen, 109; McWilliams, 107; Locust Blossom, Tragedy, 108; St. David, 110; Charles C, 113.

Second race, six furlongs, selling—Parnassus, 97; Corinne C, 98; Early Regent, 100; Dr. Hart, 101; Dose of Salts, Dorsal, Little Emmy, Ernest Parham, 102; Kingsford, Jr., Belle Hall, 106; Vassal Dance, 107.

Third race, 7 furlongs, selling—Annu, Birdie Stone, 101; Fleet Wing, 103; Sir Kingston, Radiant Heat, 107; Terraleen, Eight Bells, Corilla, 109; Incidental, Avefor, Judge Magee, 112; Dramburg, 115.

Fourth race, 6 furlongs, handicap—Kalema, 98; Lady Contrary, 90; Tom Collins, 100; Tom Kingsley, 99; Pigeon Post, 102; Andes, 105; Sevoy, 124.

Fifth race, 1 1-16 miles, selling—Finar del Rio, Pirates Queen, 96; Zack Phelps, 98; Jessie Jarboe, 105; Eva Rice, Star Cotton, 105; Joe Doughty, 106; Annoy, 107; Frank McConnell, Ben Chance, 108; Major Mansil, 110.

Sixth race, 7 furlongs, selling—Gracious, 106; Nyx, 107; Lady Kent, 108; Add. Homage, 109; Roya Sterling, Free Coinage, 110; Dutch Miller, 111; Prince Zeno, 112; Deponan, 113; John G. Ford, Pharaoh, 118.

Vote in favor of making public service corporations pay the city for their franchises instead of the politicians.

TOLEDO POLICE THOUGHT THEY HAD A BIDDLE

Sympathies Worked on by Pseudo Brother of the Dead Murderers.

GAVE FOOD AND SHELTER

Impostor Said He Could No Longer Live in Pittsburgh, and Had Spent All His Money in Giving Notorious Jail-Breakers a Decent Burial.

The police authorities of Toledo, O., are victims of a huge hoax. They believe that they have Harry G. Biddle, the Pittsburgh brother of the notorious John and Edward Biddle, in the infirmary there, penniless and ill, unable to secure work on account of the unsavory reputation of his brothers.

In reality Harry Biddle is at his accustomed labors. Last night he was on duty as usual at the gas works in Second avenue and is neither penniless nor ill. Neither is he in Toledo.

Some man is playing on the sympathies of the police authorities. He appeared in Toledo with a really pathetic tale of how his brothers' actions had forced him to give up his position in Pittsburgh and that he had since been unable to get any work. He said that all his funds had been exhausted in giving his brothers a decent burial, and now every man's hand is against him.

Police Easily Gulled.

The kind hearted Toledo police were easily gulled, and after keeping the pseudo Biddle in a comfortable bed in the police station over Tuesday night, took him to the infirmary yesterday.

Unfortunately for the fakir the story of his doings go to Pittsburgh last night, and it is probable that when the Toledo police find out their mistake the man they have been making so much of will find that he has stirred up a hornets' nest. The following telegram tells the Toledo story:

"Harry Biddle, brother of Ed. and Jack Biddle, the men who recently created such a furore in and around Pittsburgh, is a guest of Toledo. Last night, sick and weary, he applied at the Central police station for a place to sleep. He was ill and the officer, provided a bed for him in the hospital room. This morning Health Officer Brand ordered him to the infirmary hospital, where he can be cared for.

"Biddle came to Toledo Friday last seeking employment at his trade as a molder. He boarded with a family in Broadway until last night, when his money gave out.

Turned Out Into the Cold.

He was sick and was unceremoniously dumped out into the cold. Sick and disconsolate Biddle walked the streets. This morning before leaving for the infirmary he told the story of his struggle since the dark days following the killing of his relatives.

"I spent all the money I had to give the boys a decent burial and Pittsburgh was not a place where I could make a living after what had happened. Every hand was turned against me and one would think I was to blame for the whole thing. It became unbearable and I left last week, coming here Friday hoping to find work. In one of the foundries. I am a molder and can earn big wages if I get an opportunity. Now I am sick and have to depend on others. When I came to Toledo I boarded with a family in Broadway and as long as I was well and my money lasted everything was all right, but when the money ran out and I was taken sick they threw me out in the street."

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A FINE 30-acre farm in one of the prettiest towns in the country; good 8 room house, barn and other outbuildings. This farm is between a fine driving road, with electric lights, etc., and a very beautiful lake over a mile long. As the lake is artificial there is no danger of flood. It is only ¾ mile from the main stations with 20 trains daily, and a fare of only 10½ cents to either Philadelphia or Atlantic City. The climate is exactly the same as that at Lakewood and the Carolina resorts. The town has a population of 4,000. Mas trade for desirable city property. Send for illustrated booklet. (No. 88 J.)

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Within 5 minutes from Market House.

$3,000—Poplar st., frame of 7 rooms, hall and cellar. Lot 20x90 to alley.
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A fine house (cheap), 10 room brick with all modern conveniences. Price $7,500. For full particulars see
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Lots.

FOR SALE.
NEAR FIFTH AVE., TWENTIETH WARD,
FINE BUILDING SITE.
A Very Advantageous Location for a Home.
—Price, Flat—
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Price, $100.00 Per Front Foot.
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1 Iron building, 110x150'.
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Pianos.

A large number of pianos that have been rented from six to 12 months, and others used for concert purposes only; will be sold at about one-half their original values. Musically all these pianos are in good order now. Prices, including stool and cover, $135 to $150. $165 to $185 and $200 to $225 for pianos that sell ordinarily from $250 to $400 00. Among these will be found Pianos of Chickering mahogany, rosewood and ebonized cases. These prices are not always cheap prices, but every piano is a genuine bargain. This sale is a genuine bargain, and it's equally as good to-day as a week to-day, here is your opportunity.
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Fine tone and action. Only $90.
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Four-foot vein of graphite, on 120 acres; 3 miles from railroad. Easily accessible. On top of hill; only clay covering. Make good black paint. Address
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And have second-hand carpets.

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We can do them best.
We have the machinery.
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PERSONAL—Do you know that your old tables, desks, lounges, brass beds can be repaired, polished and finished and lacquered in a first-class manner at
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As the purse can buy."
Keep your fellow well dressed, too; that's important.
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Hilpert.

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Get prices on renovating
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FOR ADULTS as well as children. SWEET CASTOR.

REWARD.

REWARD—We will pay $100.00 reward in every case for information that will lead to the arrest and conviction of any person or persons voting or attempting to vote illegally in the Fourth ward, city of Pittsburgh, on the 18th day of February, 1902. John Gribbon, chairman Fourth ward Citizens party. 20xxvdc

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Have it made over.
We send for and take the same.
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PRISONER SAYS SHE WAS KISSED BY A CONSTABLE

An Amusing Story Told by a Defendant Gained Jury's Sympathy.

BOOKKEEPER IN TROUBLE

Employer Alleged He Was Ruined by Systematic Embezzlement — Gail Hamilton Charged With Abetting Lover's Suicide.

The new borough of Brackenridge, according to testimony in the criminal court yesterday, is said to have a kissing constable. Mary Southward, tried for keeping a disorderly house, swore that Constable Frank Scholl, after he had arrested her, asked her for a kiss and put his face up to the bars of the lock-up to receive it.

The defendant was arrested on the oath of Annie Orris, her mother-in-law, of Brackenridge borough, and charged with keeping a disorderly house. The defendant, when placed on the stand, testified that there was no disorder in her house only when her husband, Charles Orris, was at home. She said that she had been arrested before and that on each occasion the officer had told her that she should keep on the good side of him if she didn't want to be pulled. She said that when arrested on this charge the officer again told her how to avoid arrest and that when in the lock-up and while in a cell he asked her for a kiss, which she gave him through the bars.

The defendant's testimony caused a great deal of amusement, not only among the spectators, but the court officials. The jury returned a verdict of not guilty, placing the costs upon the prosecutor.

Says Employe Ruined Him.

Frank Austin of Rippey street was placed on trial in the same court on a charge of embezzling $2,700 from H. C. McKnight, formerly owner of the Liberty grain and feed store of the East End. Austin had been in the employ of the prosecutor for nearly two years as bookkeeper and salesman.

McKnight testified that Austin had had sole charge of the sales and receipts and that the defrauding had been going on for some time. He said that, through those acts, his business was ruined and he was compelled to close out his business at heavy loss. The amount embezzled, he said, will reach over $5,000. The case will be continued this morning.

Gail Hamilton, who attempted to commit suicide with Elliott Johnston at No. 42 Second avenue on December 15 last, pleaded guilty of the charge of attempting to commit suicide and will be called for sentence Saturday.

Purchased Morphine for Lover.

The woman is indicted on two charges, the one named, and the other accessory before the fact in assisting Johnston to take his life by agreeing to commit suicide with him. She purchased morphine for that purpose. The circumstances of the case, as brought out at the inquest into Johnston's death, are that by agreement they took the morphine in a downtown restaurant, which resulted in Johnston's death a few hours later. An overdose saved the woman's life.

It is the first case of its kind in the recollection of any of the present county officials. In consideration of her pleading guilty to the charge of attempting to commit suicide, District Attorney John C. Haymaker consented to a nolle pros of the charge of being accessory to Johnston's death.

Peter Dagman of No. 2519 Mission street was found guilty of the larceny of a lady's suit preferred by Rose Wentland.

Made a Short Delivery.

Dagman is a tailor on Penn avenue, and entered into an agreement with the prosecutor to make her a suit for $30. The clothes were delivered to the prosecutor's home at No. 1315 Forbes street, where payment was made. It was alleged that Dagman entered the house after delivering the suit and took it away.

The following other cases were disposed of: George Gray, larceny, preferred by James Brown, acquitted; John Grabiones, larceny, brought by Ignacious Sippel, acquitted; George A. Stockdale, assault and battery, by Samuel Reed, guilty, and fined $10 by the court; Eliza Goldman, assault and battery, by Sam Caplan, acquitted and costs divided. Tony Aubrio, assault and battery, by Mary Hewitt, guilty, and sent to the workhouse for 30 days; Ann Neil, assault and battery, by John McKnight, acquitted, and prosecutor pay the costs; Archie and Harvey Grim, larceny, by Frank Resmer, acquitted, and costs placed upon the prosecutor.

Vote against disfranchisement of the people by official trickery.

Says Her Husband Has Reformed.

Mrs. Lottie E. Edgar yesterday asked permission to discontinue the habitual drunkard proceedings against her husband. She says her husband has ceased all of his alleged bad habits, abuse and drinking, and that if she is compelled to continue the case she fears she may be made to pay the costs.

Vote in favor of making public service corporations pay the city for their franchises instead of the politicians.

Today's Trial Lists.

Criminal court—Commonwealth vs. Kaltonis Stauliles, Howard Shannon, L. W. Wells, S. Shelton, William Williams, Margarette Derr, Sam Hanigan, Chas. H. Palmer, Tony Ross, William King, Andy Ulkovitch, Mary Rifer, John Q. Barnes, John Sisak, Michael Dugan.

Common pleas court No. 1—Smith vs. Stevenson; city of Pittsburgh vs. Doran; Doyohax vs. P., C., C. & St. L. Ry. Co.; Tyler, extrx., vs. Anderson; Pollock vs. city of Pittsburgh; city of Pittsburgh vs. Williams et al. (2); Duffy vs. Jones & Laughlins, Ltd.

Common pleas No. 2—Cora vs. Zieghan et al.; Rolfe vs. Zieghan et al.; Miller vs. Rothleder; Dauler, Close & Joans vs. Lynn; Smith vs. Smith; Swindell vs. Potomac Steel Co.; Keystone Mattress & Spring Bed Co. vs. Brown; Cook vs. Boro of Bellevue.

Common pleas No. 3—Commonwealth of Pittsburgh, use, vs. McKeesport Wharfboat Co.; Cleaver vs. Oakland-Homestead Land & Plant Co.; Shangler vs. Shangler; commonwealth of Pennsylvania, use, vs. Charter; commonwealth of Pennsylvania, use, vs. Donaldson; Leahy vs. Pullman Palace Car Co.; Armstrong vs. Pullman Palace Car Co.; Fritz vs. Vandersall; Edwards vs. Consolidated Traction Co.; Dunlap vs. city of Allegheny; Bichael vs. city of Allegheny.

Vote against the use of public patronage to corrupt and intimidate voters.

New Suits Filed.

New suits were filed as follows:

COMMON PLEAS NO. 1.

F. M. Pfeil—J. W. Kirker.....Assp
G. Pelt—Noah Seddon.....Appeal
David S. Morrell—George Mair.....Rep

COMMON PLEAS NO. 2.

Edward J. Reed—Thomas G. McClure.....
Frank J. Seiler—Charles F. Kirschbier.....Equity
.....S fa mtgo
The H. P. Ecker Co.—Convers Printing.....Cert
The Bond of North Braddock—Nancy Riley et al.....S fa m o
Charles W. Dittmer—McCutcheon Bros. Tres
Robert J. Godfrey, use—Frederick Schwitzer.....Assp
Allen Kirkpatrick & Co.—Eyrle & Bead-ling.....Judgt

COMMON PLEAS NO. 3.

Frank Taylor—C. B. Peirce & Co.....Assp
Same same.....Assp
W. G. Gleason—A. C. McComb & Co.....Assp
W. G. Gleason—R. L. Dickman et al.....Assp

Vote against the system of allowing city contractors to appoint the public officials who inspect their work.

LEGAL BRIEFS.

John Young, a jeweler of Braddock, filed a petition in bankruptcy. His liabilities are $6,810 and assets $6,185.

A jury granted a divorce in the case of Bridget A. Ribel against F. X. Ribel, on the ground of indignities to the person. Attorney Wm. Golden represented the libellant.

Mrs. Elizabeth A. Braun took out letters of administration on the estate of her son, Harry L. Braun. His estate is worth $40,000. Attorney J. L. Richey represents the estate.

Application was made by Mary Ott Buffington to have her marriage to Brooks C. Buffington declared null and void upon the ground that he was the husband of Mary Fitzgerald when he married her on June 9, 1899.

The testimony was filed in the divorce case of Andrew C. Burns against Florence E. Burns. The couple was married April 20, 1894, and on September 20, 1899, the wife is said to have packed the furniture and moved away.

Executions were issued as follows: Heller & Perrin vs. Stein & Markosky Bros., $170; William P. Wood vs. C. B. Beattie, $114; Elizabeth Prather vs. Charles Frost et ux., $1,779; Garfield Brewing & Loan association No. 2 of Allegheny vs. Christian G. Muehlman, $1,000.

Attorney James Bredin, who was appointed auditor in the matter of the exceptions to the account of George W. Miller, formerly receiver of the Braddock Brewing Company, filed his report in the Fisher states circuit court. It is found that Miller without authority contracted debts to the amount of $8,-859. His reports accounts receivable of $6,029, of which but $1,464 was good. The total charges against Miller was $18,420, and total credits $16,142.

Put the seal of condemnation on the sale of Pittsburgh.

THE THREE RIVERS.

[SPECIAL TELEGRAM TO THE GAZETTE.]

CINCINNATI, O., Feb. 12.—River at 6 P. m., 14.7 feet and falling slowly. Weather mild and thawing. The Hercules Carrol is laid up at the mouth of the Licking with the Courier. The ice was not as heavy on the surface as yesterday, but the Cincinnati harbor boats say that it is from five to 14 inches thick. Capt. Nathan Parker, an old-time riverman, went to the city hospital today suffering from a complication of diseases due to extreme age. Decatur S. Jewett, aged 74, died here today after a lingering illness. He was for 30 years engineer of the dredgeboat at St. Louis and before that time built out of this port on many of the old-time packets as engineer. The crew of the City of Pittsburgh, which is laid up at Louisville, arrived in this city today, having been laid off.

LOUISVILLE—River falling; 5 feet on the falls, 7 feet 2 inches in the canal and 16 feet at the foot of the locks. The Morning Star arrived at noon from Evansville, which was the only sign of activity on the levee, except the occasional trip made by the ferryboat. Weather clear and moderating.

MARIETTA—River 5.4 feet and stationary. Weather cloudy and colder. No boats.

GREENSBORO—River 7 feet 7 inches and falling. Closed. Weather cloudy and cold.

BROWNSVILLE—River closed. Weather cloudy.

WARREN—River 1 foot and snowing. Weather cold.

GALLIPOLIS—River 8 feet and falling slowly. Weather cloudy and cold.

STEUBENVILLE—River 4 feet and falling. Weather cloudy and cold.

MORGANTOWN—River 6 feet and closed. Weather snowing.

POINT PLEASANT—River 6 feet 3 inches and falling. Weather cloudy and cold. Ice is gorged in the Kanawha at Lock 11.

PARKERSBURG—River 7 feet and falling. Snowing. All boats ice bound.

OIL CITY—River 3 feet 7 inches and stationary. Weather cloudy and cold.

Let your vote express what you think about the Stone postscript.

SHORT RUN OF COAL.

Local Indications Point to a Shortage at New Orleans.

"If the weather does not soon moderate, so as to permit coal shipments," said a coal operator yesterday, "there may be a shortage of coal at New Orleans this season. If the rivers remain closed two weeks longer, it will cause a decided falling off in New Orleans shipments, but there is no danger of an immediate famine at that place.

"The usual run of coal may be made to New Orleans this year, but it all depends upon the water. If rises are far between, the amount of coal marketed will not be as large as last year. There is never a big demand for coal until spring. The planters then begin active operations and it takes plenty of coal to run their interests. At present the towboats are now on the way south with fleets of coal, and this will keep the market going for some time, while there is a fair stock on hand now."

Vote against the conversion of the filtration scheme into a ten-million dollar job.

News of the Rivers.

Vote against padded registry lists.

There is not a steamboat on the river front at Louisville from First down to Ninth street.

Not a steamboat has moved in the vicinity of Gallipolis, O., since last Sunday, which is something unusual in that section of the country.

The towboats J. B. Finley and Joseph B. Williams passed into the Mississippi river yesterday from the Ohio, on their way to New Orleans with coal tows.

The towboat Beaver is laid up in the mouth of Green river. The boat is on her way to Pomeroy, O., to take a tow of salt south. Capt. Frank Farnsley is in command.

Large crowds have been visiting the rooms of Harbor No. 25, Masters and Pilots, during the last few days. The cold weather has forced the rivermen into home quarters.

The steamboat inspectors' report at Memphis shows that 90 steamboats were inspected there last year, eight persons were drowned and that over 1,000,000 passengers were carried.

All of the coal roads in the third pool are running where boats can be got to the tipples to load them. It is difficult to move empty craft on account of the large amount of ice in the river.

The steamer New South, with a number of Pittsburgh passengers, who went to New Orleans to attend the Mardi Gras, arrived there Thursday. The boat leaves there today for Cincinnati.

A crane boat was ordered to the place where the Harry P. Jones sank and efforts are now being made to raise the craft. The steamer will be placed on the docks at Elizabeth and repaired as soon as she is floated.

Capt. Samuel S. Brown and his party, who are on the Celtic crossing the Atlantic ocean, expect to land at Marseilles next Monday. Capt. Michael Dougherty, who is with the party, has crossed the ocean a dozen times.

The towboats Cruiser and H. P. Frisble, which assisted the Williams and the Finley to Cairo with tows of coal, are expected to hunt ice harbors in the vicinity of Green river. The ice is very heavy on the lower Ohio river.

The local government engineer is advertising for bids for the building of a dredgeboat; two scows and a new hull for the steamboat Slackwater. The dredge will be used for improving the channels of the Allegheny and Monongahela rivers.

The sidewheel steamer City of Pittsburgh, on her way from Memphis to Cincinnati, was compelled to quit at Louisville, on account of fog, and is laid up in the canal. The Pittsburgh was to have left Cincinnati yesterday for the south.

Here is the location of steamers of the coal combine at Louisville: Wash Honshell, Iron Age, John T. Moore, W. C. Nell, John A. Wood, C. E. Pearce, Coal City and Fred Wilson in and near the canal; Sam Clarke and Tom Dodsworth in the Kentucky river.

Capt. John Summers has been waiting for over a month for the steering gear for his new towboat Sommers. The pipe was shipped last Wednesday at Cincinnati by Capt. Quinn Adair and arrived at Gallipolis Friday night with the exception of one piece, which was dropped off the boat into the river at Portsmouth. So Capt. Summers is still without the steering pipe and will have to await the arrival of another piece to take the place of the lost one.

Vote against the system of graft in the administration of public affairs.

Fire Lieutenant Killed.

UTICA, N. Y., Feb. 12.—Music hall, the property of the Manchester estate, of this city was burned today. Lieut. John Berdle of the fire department, and two other firemen were caught beneath a falling wall and Berdle was killed. The injuries of the others were not serious. The loss by the fire is $50,000.

Cast a vote for the freedom of Pittsburgh.

Young Skater Drowned.

DOVER, DEL., Feb. 12.—Boyd Prettyman, aged 10 years, was drowned today while skating on Silver Lake mill dam. Edward Boyle, a companion, also broke through the ice, but was rescued. The accident was witnessed by throngs of skaters.

Put the seal of condemnation on the sale of Pittsburgh.

For Singers and Speakers.

The New Remedy for Catarrh is Very Valuable.

A Grand Rapids gentleman who represents a prominent manufacturing concern and travels through central and southern Michigan, relates the following regarding the new catarrh cure. He says:

"After suffering from catarrh of the head, throat and stomach for several years, I heard of Stuart's Catarrh Tablets quite accidentally and, like everything else, I immediately bought a package and was decidedly surprised at the immediate relief it afforded me, and still more to find a complete cure after several weeks' use.

"I have a little son who sings in a boys' choir in one of our prominent churches, and he is greatly troubled with hoarseness and throat weakness, and on my return home from a trip I gave him a few of the tablets one Sunday morning when he had complained of hoarseness. He was delighted with their effect, removing all huskiness in a few minutes and making the voice clear and strong.

"As the tablets are very pleasant to the taste, I had no difficulty in persuading him to use them regularly.

"Our family physician told us they were an antiseptic preparation of undoubted merit and that he himself had no hesitation in using and recommending Stuart's Catarrh Tablets for any form of catarrh.

"I have since met many public speakers and professional singers who used them constantly. A prominent Detroit lawyer told me that Stuart's Catarrh Tablets kept his throat in fine shape during the most trying weather, and that he had long since discarded the use of cheap lozenges and troches on the advice of his physician that they contained so much tolu, potash and opium as to render their use a danger to health."

Stuart's Catarrh Tablets are large, pleasant tasting lozenges, composed of catarrhal antiseptics, like Red Gum, Blood Root, etc., and sold by druggists everywhere at 50 cents for full treatment.

They act upon the blood and mucous membrane, and their composition and remarkable success has won the approval of physicians, as well as thousands of sufferers from nasal catarrh, throat troubles and catarrh of stomach.

A little book on treatment of catarrh mailed free by addressing F. A. Stuart Co., Marshall, Mich.

Epilepsy

weakens the body and degrades the mind. It saps the nervous strength that is the source of all health, and perverts the functions of every organ. Because of its stubborn nature, it is often called incurable. This is not true. There is one medicine that never fails to check the nervous spasms and give new strength to the entire system.

"Our baby boy had epileptic spasms and the physicians were unable to do anything to help him. We heard of Dr. Miles' Nervine, and from the time he took the first dose he never had another attack." MRS. J. PENNER, 459 N. Meridian Ave., Anderson, Ind.

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THE RECORD OF 1901.

In the Cranitonic Institute of New York City, (incorporated under the laws of the State of New York) the only institution of its kind in this country, 14,370 people were personally examined and prescribed for by the physicians during the past year, while 261,489 were successfully treated by correspondence. For scientific research and investigation into the causes and cure of hair and scalp diseases and in the perfection of its formulae, the Cranitonic Hair Food Company has already expended more than $200,000.

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Chief Cranitonic Laboratories.
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All who have any hair or scalp trouble should not delay, but send at once for samples and make a free test of the Cranitonic products. If you have no hair or scalp trouble and simply want a nice dressing for the hair, you will find it the most exquisite lotion ever put upon your head.

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Retail trade supplied by Gilmore & Co. and Walther-Robertson Drug Company.

OFFICIAL—ALLEGHENY.

Office of City Clerks,
City of Allegheny, Pa.,
February 10, 1902.

NOTICE is hereby given that the following ordinance was presented at a meeting of common council of the city of Allegheny on the 3d day of February, 1902, and was referred to committee on public works.

ROBERT DILWORTH, City Clerk.

AN ORDINANCE—Authorizing and ordering the grading, paving and curbing of Bailey street, Eleventh ward, from Richardson avenue to the new line of California avenue, and providing for assessment and collection of the cost and expense thereof.

Section 1. Be it ordained and enacted by the select and common councils of the city of Allegheny, and it is hereby ordained and enacted by the authority of the same, That the grading, paving and curbing of Bailey street, Eleventh ward, from Richardson avenue to the new line of California avenue, and is hereby authorized and ordered, and the director of the department of public works is hereby instructed to prepare specifications therefor, and the city controller and the said director are authorized to advertise for proposals for doing said work in accordance with such specifications, and award the contract therefor according to the provisions of the acts of assembly in such cases made and provided.

The cost and expense of said improvement to be assessed and collected in accordance with the provisions of the laws of the commonwealth of Pennsylvania pertaining thereto and regulating the same.

Sec. 2. That so much of any ordinance as may conflict with or be supplied by the foregoing, be and the same is hereby repealed.

OFFICIAL—ALLEGHENY.

(No. 283.)

AN ORDINANCE — Establishing the grade of Arch street extension, Second ward, from Arch street to Lane alley.

Section 1. Be it ordained and enacted by the select and common councils of the city of Allegheny, and it is hereby ordained and enacted by the authority of the same, That the grade of Arch street extension, Second ward, from Arch street to Lane alley, be and the same is hereby established as follows:

Beginning at a point where the center line of Arch street extension intersects the east curb line of Arch street, at an elevation of one hundred eighty three and thirty-eight hundredths (183.38) feet above city datum; thence descending at a rate of one (1) foot per hundred (100) feet for a distance of one hundred ninety-three (193) feet to the west line of Lane alley, elevation one hundred eighty-one and forty-five hundredths (181.45) feet above city datum.

Sec. 2. That so much of any ordinance as may conflict with or be supplied by the foregoing, be and the same is hereby repealed.

Ordained and enacted into a law in councils this 4th day of February, A. D. 1902.

GEORGE W. SNAMAN,
President Pro Tem. of Select Council.
Attest:
LAFAYETTE WILLS, City Clerk.
JOHN R. HENRICKS,
President Pro Tem. of Common Council.
ROBERT DILWORTH, City Clerk.

City Recorder's Office, City of Allegheny, Pa., February 7, A. D. 1902. The above ordinance examined and approved.

J. R. MURPHY,
City Recorder.

OFFICIAL—ALLEGHENY.

AN ORDINANCE Making appropriations for the fiscal year beginning March 1, 1902.

Section 1—Be it ordained and enacted by the Select and Common Councils of the City of Allegheny, and it is hereby ordained and enacted by the authority of the same, That the appropriations for the fiscal year beginning March 1, 1902, be and are hereby fixed as follows, viz:

APPROPRIATION NO. 1.
SALARIES.

Item—No. 1—For the payment of salaries of the city recorder, chief clerk, city recorder's assistant clerk, city recorder's messenger, city comptroller, city comptroller's chief clerk, stenographer and typewriter for city comptroller, city treasurer, chief clerk city treasurer, assistant clerk city treasurer, city solicitor, two assistants to city solicitor, two city clerks, messenger to council, one police magistrate Central Station, four police magistrates, one veterinary surgeon, page to councils.....$ 28,173 00

APPROPRIATION NO. 2.
INTEREST.

Item—No. 1—For the payment of interest on all outstanding bonds of the city, for the fiscal year, 1902-03.....$247,620 00

APPROPRIATION NO. 3.
PRINTING, STATIONERY, POSTAGE, ETC.

Item—No. 1—For the official newspaper advertising, printing, stationery, postage, etc., for the offices of the city recorder, city comptroller, city treasurer, clerks of councils, delinquent tax collector and legal department.....$ 25,000 00

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC SAFETY.
DIRECTOR'S OFFICE.

APPROPRIATION NO. 4.

Items—No. 1—For salary of director.....$4,000 00
For salary of chief clerk.....1,500 00 $5,500 00

No. 2—For office supplies, printing, stationery, telephone service, postage, etc.....150 00

Total.....$ 5,650 00

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC SAFETY.
BUREAU OF FIRE.

APPROPRIATION NO. 5.

Items—No. 1—For salaries of chief engineer, one assistant chief engineer, seventeen captains, one engineer, one repairman, nine engineers, nine stokers, thirteen drivers, one fireman and clerk, fifty-four firemen, seven lauderman, salaries of substitutes to take the place of regular men on leave of absence on vacation, lost time and disabled on duty.....$139,200 00

No. 2—For repairs to apparatus, new leather hose, hose carriages, hook and ladder trucks, heaters, wagons, fire extinguishers, buggies, valves for steamers, tools and material for repair shop, printing and stationery.....2,725 00

No. 3—For supplies, horse feed, horse shoeing, house and stable supplies, purchase of horses, ice, hardware, harness repairs, carpets, carpets, furniture, etc.....15,000 00

No. 4—For house and stable improvements, including plumbing, painting, glazing, roofing, tinning and heating plant.....3,700 00

No. 5—For engine House No. 7 Engine House.....2,000 00

No. 5—For fire supplies, chemicals, bottles, hose, repairing of hose, play pipes, nozzles, etc.....2,075 00

No. 6—For equipment of No. 10 Engine House, new fire engine, horses, harness, salary of engineer, driver, stoker, firebtsman, bedding.....6,815 00

No. 7—For new ladders, washing bed clothes, cleaning, materials, fuel for steamers and engine houses, stoves, pipe and miscellaneous supplies.....1,585 00

Total.....$143,600 00

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC SAFETY.
BUREAU OF POLICE.

APPROPRIATION NO. 6.

Items—No. 1—For salaries of superintendent, assistant superintendent, six detectives, two matrons, lieutenants, six sergeants, one ordinance officer, two matrons, eighty-five patrolmen, three operators, eighteen wagonmen, one matron at Morgue, one Carnegie Hall officer, one park lieutenant, four park police officers, one police surgeon, (Lost time and disabled on duty).....$131,423 75

No. 2—For station house and stable supplies, meals for prisoners, laundry, drugs, surgical supplies, beds, bedding, repairs, purchase of horses, harness, saw-dust, soap, sponges, blankets, ice and chamois's.....2,325 00

No. 3—For sundry expenses, wagons, horse shoeing, hardware, telephone, patrolling criminals, secret service funds, telegraphing, telephoning, printing, books, stationery, etc.....1,959 00

No. 4—For repair and lease of stables, horse feed, operating dog pound, miscellaneous expenses.....3,988 00

Total.....$139,700 75

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC SAFETY.
BUREAU OF HEALTH.

APPROPRIATION NO. 7.

Items—No. 1—For salaries of superintendent, bacteriologist (medical), milk inspector, chief clerk, physician, hospital steward, removal of garbage, six sanitary inspectors, fallmaster, janitor, guards for quarantine houses, inspectors, plumbing and house drainage.....$ 44,720 00

No. 2—For expenses of office, laboratory and hospital, rent, printing, books, stationery, postage, disinfectants, drugs, fuel and light, telephone service, supplies for hospital, meals for patients, soap, brushes, bedding, insurance, etc.....3,861 00

No. 3—For house, equipment, furnishing supplies and attendants for free baths.....10,000 00

Total.....$ 58,581 00

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC SAFETY.
BUREAU OF ELECTRICITY.

APPROPRIATION NO. 8.

Items—No. 1—For salary of superintendent.....$ 1,800 00

No. 2—For fire and police boxes, line wire, cables, telephone service.....4,200 00

No. 3—For electrical supplies, gongs, registers, storage batteries, tools, hardware relays, switches, register paper, oils, lighting arresters, etc.....2,075 00

No. 4—For repair wagon, extention to lines, painting fire and police boxes, bell tower, for underground work, conduits, deterioration of cables, laying trenches, etc.....4,100 00

Total.....$ 12,256 00

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC SAFETY.
BUREAU OF BUILDING INSPECTION.

APPROPRIATION NO. 49.

Items—No. 1—For salary of superintendent.....$1,200 00
For salary of assistant superintendent.....1,000 00—$ 2,200 00

No. 2—For office expenses, printing, stationery, telephone service, supplies, etc.....300 00

Total.....$ 2,500 00

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC WORKS.
DIRECTOR'S OFFICE.

APPROPRIATION NO. 9.

Items—No. 1—For salaries of the director, department chief clerk, stenographer and messenger.....$7,102 50

Due to make up deficiency for 1901-02.....730 02—$ 7,832 52

No. 2—Supplies for printing books, stationery, postage, etc.....300 00

Total.....$ 8,132 52

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC WORKS

OFFICIAL—ALLEGHENY.

BUREAU OF ENGINEERING AND SURVEYS.

APPROPRIATION NO. 10.

Items—No. 1—For salaries of superintendent, clerks, engineers, draughtsmen, rodman, chainmen, chief inspectors, inspectors and registrar of deeds.....$ 10,920 00

No. 2—For salaries of board of viewers, clerk, stenographer, messenger, witness and ordinary fees and survey committee.....$ 7,160 00

No. 3—For printing, stationery, photographs, drafting material, repairs, transportation, carriage hire, and miscellaneous supplies.....$ 1,800 00

No. 4—For testing bridge and paving material.....$ 1,400 00

Total.....$30,480 00

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC WORKS.
BUREAU OF HIGHWAYS AND SEWERS.

APPROPRIATION No. 11.

Items—No. 1—For salary of superintendent, clerk, foreman, inspectors, drivers and other labor of the bureau.....$124,407 25

No. 2—For horse feed, blacksmithing, insurance, stationery, printing, drugs, harness repairs, oil, paints, glass, horseshoeing, etc.....$ 21,905 25

No. 3—For rent of yards, adjusting liberty island bridge, concrete in Riverview park, and moving house on Perry street.....$ 2,551 00

No. 4—For building wall on Valley street.....$ 12,000 00

No. 5—For maintenance of paved streets.....$ 29,281 00

No. 6—For the erection of fair buildings across the tracks of the Ohio connecting and Ft. Wayne R. R. from Boston to Ontario streets.....$ 7,500 00

Total.....$199,914 50

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC WORKS.
BUREAU OF WATER.

APPROPRIATION NO. 12.

Items—No. 1—For salaries of superintendent, clerks, foremen, two draughtsmen, transitman, chainman, stationery, printing, telephone service, transportation, freight, messages, etc., and all expenditures for and pertaining to hydrants and meter inspection.....$ 11,250 50

No. 2—For three chief engineers, nine assistant engineers, wages for mechanics and helpers as employed at all work, tankmen, watchmen, night and day-time and laborers.....$135,542 92

No. 3—For supplies for all works such as coal, oil, hardware, lumber, packing, paint, waste, soap, brooms, steam fittings, grate bars, stoker bars, liners and other supplies.....$168,108 71

No. 4—For pipe and fittings, stop gate boxes, valves, fire hydrants, pig lead, lead pipe, tapping pipe, breaking for risks, gate helps, tapping for risks, hydrants and plumbing.....$ 21,366 06

No. 5—For repairs to streets (asphalt), reservoirs, cribs, plungers, pumps, miscellaneous accounts.....$ 13,500 00

Total.....$296,436 59

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC WORKS.
BUREAU OF WATER ASSESSMENTS.

APPROPRIATION NO. 13.

Items—No. 1—For salary of superintendent.....$1,800 00
For making assessments and writing water books.....$ 675 00 $ 2,475 00

No. 2—For books, stationery, postage, etc.....$ 325 00

Total.....$ 2,800 00

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC WORKS.
BUREAU OF PUBLIC LIGHTING.

APPROPRIATION NO. 14.

Items—No. 1—For salaries of superintendent, electrical inspector, clerk, draughtsmen, chief engineer, watchmen, two assistant engineers and foremen.....$ 10,340 00

No. 2—For dynamos, tenders, helper tenders, coal passers, helpers, wipers, janitor, and lamp repairman, assistant foreman, arc trimmers, inspectors, carbon setters, helpers, drivers, lamp repairmen.....$ 27,988 50

No. 3—For supplies, to wit, coal, coke, oils and grease.....$ 25,000 00

No. 4—For horseshoeing and iron work.....$ 1,000 00

No. 5—For supplies, arc lamps, carbons, globes, line wire, poles, arc line fixtures, carbon bars and bolts, chemicals, carbon brushes, rubber goods, dynamo repairs, incandescent lamps, converters, secondary line fixtures, bells, paint brushes, packing, pulley coverings, boiler compound, hardware, tube cleaners, spare supplies, harness, boilers, engines, furnaces, valves, pipe, and fittings, stokers.....$27,235 00
Deficiency 1901-02.....$ 8,500 48 $ 35,805 48

No. 6—For repairs, lumber, inspection, freight, express charges stationery, printing, gas supplies, repairs to building.....$ 2,982 00

Total.....$112,266 48

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC WORKS.
BUREAU OF PARKS.

APPROPRIATION No. 15.

Items—No. 1—For salaries of superintendent, wages per day, for foremen, greenhouse grass cutters, greenhouse gardeners, mechanics, night men, horse and wagon.....$ 19,000 00

No. 2—For supplies, hardware, tools, food for fowls, soap, lumber, lumber, carpenter work, paint, oil, glass, hose, rubber goods, inspecting boilers, trees, plants, seeds, bulbs, greenhouse supplies, asphalt walks, repairing of walks, etc.....$ 5,417 90

No. 3—For repairs, plumbing, steam fitting, blacksmithing, repair to pumps, lawn mowers, etc., in work, etc.....$ 850 00

No. 4—For music, to concerts in Schenley park.....900 00

No. 5—For new pedestal and base for Third ward fountain.....417 00

Total.....$ 26,634 90

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC WORKS.
BUREAU OF CITY PROPERTY.

APPROPRIATION NO. 16.

Items—No. 1—For salaries of janitor, elevator attendant and three scrub women.....$ 2,929 20

No. 2—For supplies, soap, brooms, hardware, towels, awnings, awnings, paint, oil, hardware, typewriter, pouch powder, glass, ice, paper, distilled water, disinfectant, cleaning material.....1,100 00

No. 3—For work on paper, carpets, linoleum, mats, cleaning, laundry, whitewashing, etc.....800 00

No. 4—For furniture, metal filing case, bookcases, telephone booth, desks, repairs, repairs to furniture, etc.....1,200 00

No. 5—For repairs, carpenter work, elevator, plumbing, tin work, slate work, inspecting, boilers, and other repairs to City Hall.....900 00

No. 6—For city time furnished from Allegheny observatory.....242 23

Total.....$ 7,603 23

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC WORKS.
BUREAU OF WHARVES AND LANDINGS.

APPROPRIATION NO. 17.

Items—No. 1—For salaries of wharfmaster, watchman and laborers.....$ 3,100 00

No. 2—For supplies, blankets, check posts, rope, bottle, hardware, stationery, printing, etc.....365 00

Total.....$ 3,465 00

DEP

Big Steel Orders Are Placed.

HAS TO IMPORT ITS STEEL RAILS FROM ENGLAND

The Louisville and Nashville Road Could Not Get Early Delivery Here.

TWO BIG ORDERS PLACED

Maryland Steel Company Gets Order of 60,000 Tons from Mexican Central Railroad — Car Shortage Still Felt—Merchant Bar Sales.

Extraordinary strength in the iron and steel markets was emphasized again in the past week by the placing of important steel rail orders, one going abroad. The Mexican Central railroad, after much negotiating, placed an order for 60,000 tons with the Maryland Steel Company. From the mills at Sparrows Point, Md., these rails will be shipped by water to the nearest port for the Mexican Central. The railroad had been considering the advisability of placing its order abroad.

The Louisville & Nashville railroad, unable to get a satisfactory delivery on its requirements of 20,000 tons, has placed its order in England. These rails will be delivered at Pensacola, Fla., where they will be taken by the railroad. The cost of the rails at the southern port is $25 a ton and with the duty added the rails will cost the railroad between $31 and $32 a ton, a higher price than could have been obtained if the railroad had placed its order with the domestic producers in time.

Duty Is Remitted.

The cost problem figures in the placing of the Mexican Central order with the Maryland Steel Company. The rail pool is willing to have this order placed there, because with the use of Cuban ore the duty is remitted by reason of the rails being subsequently exported.

Furnaces and mills are seriously hampered by the car shortage. A leading Pittsburgh steel producer has thousands of tons of finished product tied up ready for shipment. Eight of the valley furnaces have been forced to bank and others are operating to little over half of their capacity. Within the week additional furnaces have been closed, but they have been able to resume through a temporary relief in their raw material supply.

Coke Shortage Felt.

As stated last week no coke was shipped from the Connellsville region for the furnaces of the valleys for two days, but there was a recovery subsequently, although not nearly up to what is required.

Most of the Bessemer pig iron purchases from the merchant furnaces have been closed, and engage the output of the furnaces for well into the second half of the year. Scarcely any Bessemer pig iron has been sold the past week.

Producers of cold-rolled shafting have reached a new understanding arising from the urgent demands, and all quotations are higher. Now the discounts range only from 50 to 55 per cent off the list, according to the importance of the order.

The structural mills are solidly booked ahead for five and six months. The plate mills can supply urgent demands in as short a time as two weeks. Merchant bar mills have orders booked which would engage them for five months, but specifications at hand make it possible to get out material in from 60 to 90 days.

The independent producers of sheets and tin plate will hold another conference in Pittsburgh next Tuesday to arrange for co-operation and a supply of their raw material. All interests producing sheet bars have their output engaged, and the independent sheet interests are earnestly considering the erection of steel mills to furnish their raw material.

Prompt Delivery Draws Premium.

Along with the conditions existing, by reason of the inability of the railroads to handle the business, the coke producers are being offered handsome premiums for prompt shipments. While the heavy coke contracts were placed at $2 25 a ton for furnace and $2 75 for foundry coke, other purchasers demanding immediate supply are offering prices $1 25 a ton above these, and the coke is not to be had.

The embarrassing car shortage is threatening the operations of many iron and steel interests. The Ashland Steel Company and the Wheeling Steel & Iron Company cannot get raw materials and may be forced to close within a few days.

No Bessemer Pig.

Bessemer pig iron was sold in no quantities of importance within the past week. It is difficult to name a price under the existing conditions. Consumers are willing to pay $17 50 a ton at the valley furnaces for prompt iron, but they cannot be supplied.

Sales of forge iron, amounting to 3,000 tons, were closed in the past week at $16 50@16 75 a ton.

The market for foundry iron is constantly gaining strength, although there have been no material price changes in the past week. About 6,500 tons of foundry iron were sold here in the past week at prices ranging from $16 75 to $17 a ton on the No. 2 basis, for deliveries in the second half of the year, while prompter deliveries are held at about 50 cents a ton higher.

No Rails for Sale.

The steel rail market continues active and for prompt shipments some higher prices have been brought out. Sales of 2,000 tons were made at from $35 to $35 50 a ton.

Rail transactions of the past week reflect the condition of this market. The mills can offer nothing before the end of the year. Girder rail prices are equivalent to $36 a ton at mills; T rails, 8 pounds to the yard, $40; 12 pounds, $40; 16 pounds or $37; 25 pounds, $36; 25 pounds, $35; medium sections, $30; standard sections, $28.

Bar and Skelp Prices.

Domestic producers of ferro manganese have none to sell, holding the price at $52 50 a ton, while the foreign producers offer the material laid down here at $50 a ton.

Activity in the market for muck bar is pronounced and the advanced price of $31 a ton held in transactions of several thousand tons in the past week.

Several rounds of prices were sold in the week past, the prices being held at about what they have been for months. The prices are $1 75 a ton for 100 pounds of steel skelp and $1 80@1 85 a ton for 100 pounds of iron skelp.

An Active Market.

The iron bar market continues active. The price for deliveries in the second half remains at $1 60 for 100 pounds. Refined Pittsburgh iron bar is selling at from $1 85 to $1 90 for 100 pounds.

Some heavy sales of plates were made in the week past, the aggregate by Pittsburgh producers being fully 10,000 tons. Prices are: Tank plates, 1-10 of 1c for 100 pounds for plates not over 100 inches in width, and 5 cents extra 100 pounds for wide sizes; flange plates, $1 70 for 100 pounds; stillbottom steel, $1 90 for 100 pounds; locomotive firebox, not less than 62 higher; 72-inch plates, $1 a ton extra, gauged No. 8 and 9, $2 a ton extra; circles, $1 80 for 100 pounds.

Heavy Sales of Merchant Bar.

Pittsburgh producers of merchant bar sold an additional 20,000 tons in the past week, making the sales in the past fortnight fully 50,000 tons. These include supplemental contracts from the agricultural implement concerns for deliveries running into July. The base price for merchant bar remains at $1 50 for 100 pounds, with some of the producers getting $1 60 for shipments at most any time within six months. The price for the fourth merchant bar is $2 a ton higher.

Structural material amounting to 15,000 tons was sold by Pittsburgh mills in the past week. Prices are: $1 60 for 100 pounds on beams, channels, angles and zees; tees, $1 65 for 100 pounds; beams from 15 to 24 inches, $1 70 for 100 pounds.

Tin Plate and Sheets.

The tin plate market has developed nothing new in the past week. The price holds at $4 for 100-pound box standard tin plates on large orders at maker's mills.

The sheet mills are all nearly abreast with orders, and can offer deliveries in about a month, except in some of the heavier gauges. The minimum price is now uniformly based on $3 10 for 100 pounds in the No. 28 gauge at mill on orders for 500 bundles or more. Galvanized sheets are selling at from 10 and 5 per cent to 70 and 10 per cent off the list.

Cold rolled shafting is now selling at discounts from 50 to 55 on the list.

Steel hoops are selling at $1 50 for 100 pounds. The mills producing the finer merchant and crucible steels are taking on a good current business, added to heavy orders ahead for nearly two-thirds of the year.

Business Is Good.

Quotations are: Tire steel, $1 60 to $1 70 for 100 pounds; toe calk, $1 90 net in carloads; open hearth spring, $2 and $2 10; Bessemer machinery plate, $2; base machinery steel, $2 25; rolled lay steel, $2 50@2 75; tool steel, $7 and upward, according to quality.

The hardware trade developed no price changes in the week past. Quotations are as follows: Cut nails and large sizes of wire nails to jobbers, $2 05 a keg; $2 10 in less lots and $2 20 out of stock to retailers; No. 6 plain wire, $2 for 100 pounds to jobbers; $2 05 in carlots; $2 15 in less than carlots; No. 6 galvanized wire, $2 45 in carlots to jobbers and $2 55 in lesser lots; cut nails are $2 a keg in carlots and $1 95 in heavy orders to jobbers; steel horseshoes are $2 25 for 100-pound kegs and iron $3 05; carriage bolts, 65 per cent off list, f. o. b. on stock shipments.

An Urgent Demand.

The demand for scrap material is urgent. Price advances are anticipated. Sales of Pittsburgh dealers in the week past ran over 5,000 tons. Prices are as follows: Old steel rails, $17 00@17 25 a ton; old iron rails, $19 00; heavy steel melting stock, $17 00@17 25; wrought scrap, $15 50@16 00; cast scrap, $14 00@14 25; turnings, $13 25; borings, $8 50@9 00.

Quotations on steel and wrought iron pipe to consumers are as follows:

MERCHANT PIPE.

	Black.	Galv.
⅛ to ¼ inch and 2 to 12 inch	61	48
⅜ to 1½ inch	64½	50

CASING—RANDOM LENGTHS.

	S. & S.	I.
2 and 3 inch	58	53½
3½ and 4 inch	57	59
4½ and 12 inch	62	61½

CASING—CUT LENGTHS.

2 and 3 inch	59	54
3½ and 4 inch	62½	67½

BOILER TUBES.

	Steel.	Iron.
1¼ to 2¼ inch	60	51
2½ to 12 inch	50	53

(Jobbers get prices slightly lower than above.)

London Closing Stocks.

LONDON, Feb. 12.—Stocks closed:

Con. for money	94 11-16	Norfolk & West.	58⅞
Do account	94 13-16	Do preferred	86
Anaconda	6⅞	Ontario & West.	24¼
Atchison	80½	Pennsylvania	77⅛
Do preferred	96	Reading	29⅝
B. & O.	106½	Do 1st pfd	42⅜
Can. Pacific	118½	Do 2nd pfd	34⅞
Ches. & Ohio	48¾	Sou. Railway	34½
Chi. G. W.	20⅝	Do preferred	94¼
C., M. & St. P.	171½	Sou. Pacific	68½
D. & R. G.	45⅞	Union Pacific	106⅝
Do preferred	95⅝	Do preferred	86
Erie	41¾	U. S. Steel	39⅛
Do preferred	72	Do preferred	97⅞
Do 2nd pfd	58	Wabash	24
Illinois Central	146	Do preferred	45
Louis. & Nash.	105⅝	Spanish 4s	71¾
M., K. & T.	24⅞	Rand Mines	12⅝
Do preferred	64	DeBeers	40⅝
N. Y. Central	160½		

Bar silver steady 27 5-16d per ounce. Money, 2½@3 per cent. The rate of discount in the open market for short bills is 2¾@2⅞ per cent. The rate of discount in the open market for three months' bills is 2¾@2 13-16 per cent.

Whisky.

CINCINNATI, Feb. 12.—Whisky, distillers' finished goods, quiet on basis of $1 51.

Wholesalers Are Scrambling for Eggs

PITTSBURGH PRICES FOR FARM PRODUCTS

Heavy Demand for Eggs Again Shoots Up Price—Potatoes Firmer.

Hay, Grain and Feed.

A better feeling was manifested yesterday in timothy hay, and some was offered under $15 a ton. This is likely to stimulate a movement. Business in the grain and feed market has been most quiet of late. The inactivity is quiet for all grades. The receipts have been light all week, the Manchester yards reporting the only arrivals yesterday.

Receipts bulletined: Manchester yards, hay, 21 cars; straw, 6 cars; oats, 15 cars; feed, 2 cars; corn, 4 cars.

Following are the official quotations for hay, millfeed, corn, oats and straw, corrected by the superintendent of the Pittsburgh grain exchange:

Straw—Oat, $7 50@8 00; wheat, $7 50@8 00; rye, $8 25@8 75.

Hay—Choice timothy, $15 00@15 25; No. 1 do, $14 50@15 00; No. 2 do, $13 00@14 00; No. 1 mixed, $11 00@11 50; No. 1 clover, $11 00@11 50; prairie, $10 50@11 00; packing, $8 00@10 00; loose from wagons, $16 00@17 00.

Millfeed—Selling prices, delivered, No. 2 Michigan, 69@70c.

Wheat—No. 2 red, winter, 74@75c f. o. b. cars within radius of 10 miles of Pittsburgh.

Corn—No. 2 yellow, ear, 68@68½c; high mixed, 65@65½c; No. 2 mixed, 64@65c; No. 2 yellow, car, 70@71c; high mixed, 69@70c; No. 2 mixed, 68@69c.

Oats—No. 2 white, 51@51½c; extra No. 2, 49@49½c; regular, 48@48½c.

Millfeed—White middlings, per ton, No. 2, $23 00@24 00; brown, $20 00@21 00; bran, $21 00@21 50.

Groceries.

Business in the grocery line yesterday was quite active, and the country buyers seemed to be out in force. The roads are good just now and the country dealers are enabled to drive to and from the stations with comparative ease, on account of good sledding. No changes was noted yesterday in the general list, and the market is holding firm on the prices quoted. Navy beans are about as cheap as they have been this season, the price having declined during the past month, but present quotations are holding very firm.

Prices: Spring wheat patents, $4 60@4 75; fancy winter patents, $4 00@4 10; straight winter, $3 60@3 75; bakers' spring, $3 50@3 60; rye, $3 25@3 75; graham, $3 50@3 75; cornmeal, bbl, $3 75; 100-lb bottom, 1½c; Buckwheat, 5c; Rolled oats, $4 50@4 75; standard granulated, 4 75c; fine granulated, 4 75c; cubes and powdered, 4 75c; cartons and 20 5-lb cotton bags, 4 90c; powdered, 4 85c; powdered XXXX, 4 90c; cubes, 5 00c; confectioners' A, 4 85c; confectioners' A, 4 85c; 2 and 5-lb bags, 4 85c; 2 and 5-lb bags, 4 90c; yellow, 4 15c; No. 2 do, 4 10c; No. 3 do, 4 05c. (Quotations are f. o. b. cars New York, which give cost at your nearest railroad station. The price of Pittsburgh is 15c per 100 lbs above these quotations.)

Cereals—Rolled oats, bbl, $5 10; keg, $2 75; packages, $2 50@3 10; oatmeal, bbl, $5 50; keg, $2 50.

Rice—Prime, 5@5½c; choice, 6c; fancy, 6½@7c; Japan, 6@6½c; Carolina, 6½@6¾c; prime Carolina, 4¾@5¼c.

Salt—Coarse, $1 00 per bbl; No. 1 extra, $1 10; dairy, $1 50; granulated rock, 85c sack; pocket salt, $1 10@2 00.

Canned Goods.

The demand for sardines has been stimulated on account of the advent of Lent. No change in the market price of goods in this line, however, has taken place. There is a good demand for mackerel in cans, and also canned salmon, while salt mackerel is coming in also for a share of the trade.

Corn—Standard, 65c; fancy, gallon pie peaches, $2 50@3 00; California L. C. peaches, $1 90@2 25; Maryland peaches, $1 25@1 75; California Y. C., $1 90@2 00; corn, fancy Maine, $1 20; California cherries, white, $2 00@2 25; lima beans, $1 20@1 40; soaked lima beans, 75@80c; string do, 65@$1 25; marrowfat peas, 95@$1 00; early June peas, $1 00@1 20; soaked peas, 85@90c; blackberries, $1 00@1 10; California apples, $1 20@2 20; damson plums, $1 00; California plums, $1 55@1 60; raspberries, 85@90c; gooseberries, 80@$1 00; standard tomatoes, 90c@$1 00; fancy do, $1 00@1 10; 2-lb cans, $1 60@2 00; 3-lb cans, $1 60@2 00; extra fancy, $1 40@1 60; 2-lb cans, $2 40@2 75; 2-lb corned and roast beef, cans, $1 25@2 25; 1-lb corned beef, cans, $1 10@1 25; Vienna sausage, $1 00; Deviled ham, 1-lb cans, $1 40; 2-lb cans, $2 40; mushrooms, fair, $2 50; French, $7 00@14 25; oysters, 1-lb full weight, 80@$1 25; 2-lb (full weight), $1 80; 1-lb Dutch, flat cans, $1 10.

Dried Fruits.

Evaporated apricots, in bags, 10½@11c; 25-lb boxes, 11½@12c; apples, in bulk, 3½@4c; 1-lb cartons, 5@6c; peaches, 7@10c; raisins, loose, 1-lb, 3@3½c; 2-crown, 4@4½c; Muscatels, 2 and 4-crown, 5@5½c; loose, 6½@7½c per lb; Ondaria Valencia, 8@8½c; California Valencia, 6c; raspberries, 25½@27½c; currants, Cleaned 5½@6c; unwashed, 4½@5c; citron, in drums, 12½@13c; orange peel, 12½@13c; lemon peel, 12½@13c; sardines, domestic, ½s, $2 50@3 00; mustards, ¼s, $2 50; French, $7 00@14 25; oysters, 1-lb full weight, 80@$1 25; 2-lb (full weight), $1 80; 1-lb Dutch, flat cans, $1 10.

Fruits and Produce.

Potatoes continue to occupy the attention of commission house dealers, sales of a number of cars on the track 20@21 and partly filled yesterday were 43, against 120 cars three weeks ago. This is a falling off in receipts of almost one-third. Prices, so far, are firm, but there seems no further advance. The importation of foreign potatoes, while large, has had a tendency to keep the market down in part, as a great many small lots of that foreign potatoes were "not in it" with the American product. The potatoes coming from abroad do not come into the interior, but are sold here. Nearby stock is about little weaker, being slightly off yesterday in price. Lettuce is also a shade lower.

Apples—Common, $2 00@2 50 per bbl; choice and fancy, $3 50@3 60; California, per box, $1 50@1 75.

Carrots—Per bbl, $1 25@1 50; per bu, $10 00@12 00; new, per doz bunches, 40@50c.

Potatoes—On track, per bu, 75@85c; carloads, fancy, 70@75c; fancy, from store, 90@95c; foreign, per bag, $2 50@2 75; Jersey sweets, fancy, $4 00@4 50; yams, $4 00@4 50; Jersey sweets, medium, $2 50@3 00.

Brussels Sprouts—Per qt, 15@18c.

Onions—Per bbl, $2 00@2 25; per bu, $1 10@1 25; Spanish, crate, $1 50@1 60; silver skins, $2 50@3 00; Valencia, per crate, $4 00@4 25.

Horseradish—Per bbl, $5 00@6 00.

Watercress—Per doz, 40@50c; per box, 75@85c.

Celery—Medium, 25@40c; large, 50@60c; California Golden Heart, $2 00@2 25; White Plume, $2 00@2 25.

Pineapples—Per bbl, $1 00@1 25.

Cabbage—German seed, $18 00@22 00; per bbl, $1 25@1 50; red, per bbl, $1 25@1 75.

Pigeon grapes—Per basket, 40@45c; per 4-basket crate, $1 60@1 75.

Rutabagas—Per bbl, $2 00@2 25; per bu, 75@85c.

Cranberries—Jersey, per bbl, $7 00@7 50; per crate, $1 50@1 75; Cape Cod, per bbl, $7 00@7 50; per crate, $1 50@1 75.

Lettuce—Head, per doz, 20@25c; leaf, per doz bunches, 10@15c.

Tomatoes—Florida, 6 basket carriers, $3 00@3 50.

Green Onions—Per doz, 20@25c; New Orleans Charlottes, 40@50c doz.

Garlic—Per lb, 7@8c.

String Beans—Green, $4 00@5 00; wax, $4 00@5 00.

Florida Egg Plant—Per box, $4 00@5 00.

Spinach—Per bu, 90@$1 00.

Strawberries—Per qt, 30@40c.

Kohlrabi—Per doz bunches, 30@40c.

Lettuce—Home grown, per doz, 30@40c; hothouse, 30@40c per basket; head lettuce, head, $2 00@3 00; in hampers, $2 50@3 00; Endive, $8 00@9 00; Florida, hampers, $3 00@4 00.

Honey—White comb, 15@16c; New York white clover, 12@13c; buckwheat, 11@12c.

Maple Syrup—$3 00@3 60 per gallon.

Mango Peppers—Per crate, 14 dozen, 50c.

Squash—Hubbard, per bbl, $2 00@3 00; marrowfat, per bbl, $2 00@3 00; per crate, $1 00@1 50.

Cranberries—Per crate, $1 00@2 00; per bbl, $5 00@8 00.

Green Peas—California, 4-basket carriers, $2 50@3 00.

Rhubarb—Per doz, 30@35c.

Kale—Per bbl, $1 00@1 25.

Tropical Fruits and Nuts.

Figs are off in price, quotations having been marked down 2 cents on the pound yesterday. California paper-shell almonds also eased off some, while English walnuts are a little firmer in price. Business in the fruit line is not very large, the continued cold weather dominating the conditions. No change was made in the quotations.

Lemons—Per box, $1 00.

Oranges—Florida, $2 75@3 00; Messina, $2 75@3 25.

Pineapples—Florida, per crate, $3 25@3 50; smooth Cayenne, $3 00@3 50.

California Pears—Peaberry, $2 75@3 00.

Cocoanuts—Per bag, $3 25.

Nuts—Almonds, 16c; filberts, 12c; English walnuts, 14@15c; brazil, 10@11c; mixed nuts, 11c; peanuts, roasted, per pound packed, 7c; Spanish peanuts, 4 lbs for 25c; per bushel, per lb, 6c; shelled Spanish peanuts, 6c; California paper-shell almonds, 16c; Italian chestnuts, 8c.

Dates—California sacks, choice, $2 50@3 00; fancy, $3 00@3 75; sardines, $1 00.

Bananas—Per bunch, $1 50@2 00.

Lemons—Per box, $3 00@3 50.

Grape Fruit—Per box, $3 50@4 00.

Dates—Persian, 4c; Fard, 5@6c per lb.

Figs—Per lb, 10@12c.

Butter, Eggs and Cheese.

Dealers in eggs along Liberty street yesterday were actively engaged in circulating among the brethren themselves in search of eggs. The demand was great and, accordingly, eggs were marked up 1 cent a dozen, and still higher prices are predicted. The fact that foreign eggs are out of the market and the coming in of Lent has caused an increased demand for the strictly fresh, and the dealer said that he believed that the "retract" could not go over 3,000 cases.

Butter—Elgin creamery, prints, 30@30½c; do tubs, 29@29½c; Ohio and Pennsylvania creamery, 27@29c; dairy butter, 26@27c; fresh country roll, 19@20c; cooking butter, 15@16c.

Eggs—Fresh candled, per doz, 29@30c; selects, 31@32c.

Cheese—New York, full creams, 12@12½c; Ohio, 11½@12c; skims, Ohio, 10@10½c; Ohio Swiss, tubs, 13@14c; Wisconsin Swiss, tubs, 12@13c; Limburger, 12@13c; New York brick cheese, 13½@14c; Hamburger, 10c.

Seeds.

Clover, from store, recleaned, 60-lb bu, scarce, $4 10@4 60; mammoth, $4 25@4 50; crimson, $4 15@4 60; white Dutch, $6 00@6 50; alsike, $5 00@5 50; alfalfa, $5 00@5 25; timothy, $1 50@1 60; orchard grass, $1 50@1 75; millet, $1 75@1 85; red top, $1 00@1 25; English blue grass, $1 10; lawn grass, 14-lb bu, $1 50@1 75; red top, 14-lb bu, $1 10@1 50.

Hides.

No. 1 green steer hides, heavy, also do light, under 50 lbs, not in all weights, 7c; No. 1 green hides, 6½c; calfskins, 8c; No. 2 calf, 7c.

Green salt or cured hides, No. 1 steers, over 60 lbs, 10½c; cows and light steers, 9½c; No. 2 hides, 1c reduction; No. 1 calfskins, 10c; No. 2 calf, 8½c less.

Provisions.

Smoked Meats—Large hams, 16 pounds and up, 11½c; medium hams, over 12 to 15 pounds, 11½c; small hams, 12 pounds and under 11½c; skinned hams, 12c; breakfast bacon (Kingan's), 13c; California hams, 9½c; boneless hams, 10c; Cumberland hams, 10c; Cumberland (Kingan's), 10c; dried beef, 10c; breakfast bacon (rib), 8 to 10 pounds, 10c; breakfast bacon (rib), 10 to 12 pounds, 10c; breakfast bacon (clear), 8 to 10 pounds, 11½c; breakfast bacon (clear), 10 to 12 pounds, 11½c; breakfast bacon (clear), back strips, 10½c; breakfast bacon (clear), back strips, 12 pounds and over, 10½c.

Dry Salt Meats—Sides (extra short clears), 9½c; bellies, over 20 to 25 pounds, 9½c; bellies, over 10 to 20 pounds, 9½c; bellies, under 10 pounds, 9½c.

Dry Salt Smoked Meats—Sides (extra short clears), 10c; bellies, over 20 to 25 pounds, 10c; bellies, over 10 to 20 pounds, 10c; bellies, under 10 pounds, 10c.

Lard—Pure lard (tierces), 10c; compound lard (tierces), 8½c. The advance on smaller packages over tierces is as follows: 3-pound pails, 240 pounds, 40c; half barrels (about 100 pounds), 50c; fancy tubs, net, 50 pounds, 50c; plain hardwood, tubs, net, 50 pounds, 50c; standard tubs, net, 50 pounds, 50c; 3-pound pails (one or two in a case), 40c; 5-pound tin pails (6 in a case), 75c; 5-pound tin pails (12 in a case), 75c; 5-pound tin pails, (50 in a case), 75c.

Vote in favor of making public service corporations pay the city for their franchises instead of the politicians.

Exchanges and Banks Closed.

All the stock exchanges and banks of the United States were closed yesterday because of Lincoln's birthday. Local business visited their offices in a casual way and some little clerical work was done, but otherwise the day was strictly observed. The markets and banks will resume this morning at the usual hours.

Vote against the manipulation of contracts by the favored few.

Oil Men Did Not Observe Holiday

The legal holiday, Lincoln's birthday, was not generally observed by Pittsburgh oil men. The buyers' offices were closed, but those of the operating companies did not keep to the observance of the day. Reports from the fields were that but comparatively few of the producers were idle. The Standard Oil Company's well located on the D. A. McCracken farm, one mile and a fourth northeast of Scenery, Greene county, has been put to pumping and produced 30 barrels the first 24 hours. This is not a remarkable showing, except that the well is so far removed from production that it may lead up to establishing better. In these days of fruitless search for new territory operators are quite ready at a strange.

The first reports from the test well on the A. Rothwell farm in Jefferson run, Wirt district, W. Va., seem to have been greatly exaggerated. A field man who visited the well yesterday found no oil in the tank, which does not substantiate the claim that it is a 25-barrel producer. There was a show of oil developed at a depth of 1,100 feet, which was struck second with the gas sand, found in the wells on the Ridgeway farm, near Elizabeth.

The Galliver have become greatly excited on account of the reported great showing of the size of the well and are asking big bonus money. Operators, however, are not inclined to the views of the Galliver boys, and the test well on Captain Ridgeway's tract on the Rothwell farm.

In Marshall county some important wells are coming in the interesting zone on Grave creek, Liberty district. Hendron Bros. are due in the sand this week at their test well on the D. Camp farm on Meadow run on the Fish creek road, and the Hendrons have a big well on the Welling farm on Lynn Camp run, Benedum Bros. are due in the sand at No. 2 on the Joseph Noble farm. The Hendrons have a well drilling on the Hall farm on Lynn Camp run, Meade district. It is due in the sand the first of next week. On Wednesday the Wheeling Oil Company is drilling here in the Fish creek district on the Bennett farm. The same company's test well on the Bischart farm is drilling at 900 feet.

Southeastern Ohio.

In the very shallow sand territory on the Ohio side, on West creek, Washington county, A. A. Cameron has completed one on the J. H. Hawkinberry farm and has it on the pump for 10 barrels a day and the last 24 hours it has been pumping 15 barrels.

In the Beaver's Corner district, Washington county, all sand shales were penetrated the first week in January, and the Hendrons have since drilled in 30 feet of sand.

Near Leesville, on the Big Lime district, Martin & Co.'s No. 1 on the Fred Sipes farm was declared to be a duster a day and an abandonment was the result. Martin & Co. are starting at the present time 30 or more barrels a day.

No market or runs and shipments reported on account of the holiday.

NEW OIL REFINERY.

The Great Western Oil Company Expects to Begin to Operate Its New Refinery.

The Great Western Oil Company expects to begin to operate its new refinery at Marcellus, N. Y., about the middle of March. A dispatch says: We have a modern up-to-date refinery with a capacity of about 10,000 barrels per month and Mr. H. Thompson will have full charge of the refinery. Mr. Thompson was formerly connected with the Standard Oil Company's test on the Rothwell farm.

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Vote against the subordination of public business to "mutual political and business advantage."

LIVE STOCK MARKETS.

CENTRAL STOCK YARDS.

February 12, 1902.

Cattle—Supply light; market steady; choice, 1,400 to 1,600 pounds, $4 75@5 00; good, 1,200 to 1,400 pounds, $4 25@4 60; fair, $3 90@4 20; fat cows, $2 00@4 75; bulls and stags, $3 00@4 15; common to choice fresh cows, $30 00@50 00.

Hogs—Receipts, 16,000; 20 double decks on sale; market steady at unchanged prices; prime heavies, $4 15@4 20; prime mediums, $4 20@4 25; best yorkers, $4 20@4 25; light yorkers, $4 20@4 25; pigs, $4 00@4 10; roughs, $3 00@3 60.

Sheep—Supply fair; market steady on sheep; lambs, $5 00@5 50; good to choice wethers, $4 50@5 00; fair mixed, $3 50@4 00; culls and common, $2 00@3 00; yearlings, $4 50@5 40; veal calves, $4 50@5 25; heavy calves, $3 50@4 00; feeders, $3 50@4 00; stockers, $3 00@3 50.

NEW YORK, Feb. 12.—Beeves—Receipts, 2,322 head. Steers steady to 10c higher; bulls and cows steady; steers, $4 00@5 60; bulls, $2 40@4 00; cows, $2 00@4 25. Calves—Receipts, 600 head. Veals, $5 25@6 50; culls, $4 00; buttermilks, $3 75; grassers and fed calves, $3 50@4 50. Sheep and lambs—Receipts, 12,835 head. Sheep steady and firm; lambs slow, but firm for good shorts; common grades quiet. Sheep, $4 25@5 25; culls, $2 50@3 00; lambs, $5 00@6 00; culls, $3 00@5 00. Hogs—Receipts, 1,779 head. Weak; no sales reported.

EAST BUFFALO, Feb. 12.—Cattle—Receipts light; steady at Monday's close; veals firm; others slow. Sheep and lambs—Receipts, 5,000 head; slow; sheep firm; lambs slow, but firm for good shorts; others steady; quiet. Hogs—Receipts, 4,300 head; 60 decline on all but Yorkers; heavy, $4 40@4 50; mixed, $4 35@4 40; pigs, $4 15@4 20; roughs, $3 75@3 90; stags, $3 40@3 60; dairies, $4 30@4 40; Yorkers, $4 30@4 40; pigs, $4 30@4 40

ANTI-TRUSTERS STILL PURSUING PHILANDER KNOX

This Time They Offer a Senate Resolution for an Investigation.

SAME OLD CHARGES MADE

The Document Refused Admittance into Congressional Record—Referred to Same Committee Which Turned Down Agitators Before.

THE PITTSBURGH GAZETTE BUREAU,
903 Fifteenth St., N. W.,
WASHINGTON, D. C., Feb. 12.

The joint committee of the so-called Anti-Trust league and district assembly No. 66 of the Knights of Labor, which has secured notoriety by annoying Attorney General Knox and attacking the so-called trusts, has broken out again by demanding an investigation of Mr. Knox and of the department of justice.

Three weeks ago, January 23, these patriots were horrified to see John W. Griggs, a former attorney general of the United States, appear as a counsel in the supreme court for one of the so-called trusts. Hurriedly convening, they adopted a series of eight whereases and two resolutions, demanding a thorough investigation of the department of justice and Mr. Knox. Since that time they have been searching for some member of either house to present their document to the body of which he was a member. Finally they found such a person in Senator Turner, populist, of Washington state, and that gentleman presented the paper to the senate today.

In doing so Senator Turner disavowed all responsibility for the allegations, and said he acted solely because of the gravity of the charges. He desired that the document should be printed in the Congressional Record, but Senator Gallinger objected and it was not so ordered. This was a backset for the agitators, for if the document had been printed in the Record it could have been sent through the mails free of expense.

The resolutions were referred to the judiciary committee, but as that committee turned down the same crowd in December when the agitators fought the confirmation of Mr. Knox, it is probable that the document will be pigeonholed.

Omitting the eight preambles, the two resolutions offered follow:

Resolved, That the attention of the senate and house of representatives and of the president of the United States is hereby called to the conduct of unlawful dealing and to the palpable appearance of illicit relations existing between the attorney general of the United States and the most dangerous class of lawbreakers now at large in this republic; and,

Resolved, That we hereby call upon the senate, the house of representatives and the president of the United States to at once institute a searching and thorough investigation of the department of justice and the official conduct of that department by Attorney General P. C. Knox.

CHARLES W. METZGAR.

Vote against the system of allowing city contractors to appoint the public officials who inspect their work.

PENROSE IGNORED.

Monongahela Bridge Bill Nearly Slips Through Without His Knowledge.

WASHINGTON, D. C., Feb. 12.—(Special.)—The bill authorizing the St. Clair Terminal Bridge Company to construct a bridge over the Monongahela river from a point near Clairton station on the Pittsburgh, Virginia & Charleston railroad to a point on the opposite side of the river between Bull bridge and Patterson stations on the Pittsburgh & Lake Erie railroad came within an ace of passing the senate today and being a law, so far as the action of congress is concerned, but Senator Penrose had it recommitted.

The bill was introduced simultaneously in the senate and house by Senator Quay and Representative Dalzell, respectively. Mr. Dalzell last week secured its passage through the house and on Monday it reached the senate. Meanwhile Senator Quay's bill, which had been referred to the commerce committee, was reported back favorably by Senator Berry of Arkansas. This noon Senator Berry secured consent to substitute the house bill for the senate bill and then to pass the former, thus gaining some time. At this juncture Senator Penrose objected and had both bills sent back to the commerce committee.

Senator Penrose is a member of this committee and had not been consulted about this bill, while his colleague, who introduced it in the senate, had said nothing to him about it. As he knew nothing about the bill or who were urging it Senator Penrose had it recommitted until he could investigate.

Vote against the use of public patronage to corrupt and intimidate voters.

DICKERING FOR A CANAL.

Colombia Willing to Give a 200-Year Lease of Strip, to Be Policed by Mixed Tribunals.

WASHINGTON, D. C., Feb. 12.—Full authority is given for the statement that the protocol now being prepared by Admiral Walker, chairman of the Isthmian canal commission, and Dr. Silva, the Colombian minister here, will not confer any provision for the relinquishment of sovereignty over the isthmus. It is understood that the territory for the canal, which will be provided for in the protocol, is a strip eight miles wide, four miles on either side of the canal.

It is said the protocol will confer the privilege of pursuit within the limits of Colombia of criminals charged with crimes committed within the zone. Justice will be administered within the zone by mixed tribunals, and the question of their organization is now occupying the framers of the protocol.

The question of price, it is said, will be left as the last item to be incorporated in the document. It is desired to have it in the form of an annuity. A lump sum, in the present bad state of Colombia's finance, it is said, would be most objectionable, as it would immediately be swallowed up in the payment of the country's debts. A lease in perpetuity is contrary to the constitution of Colombia, and therefore is out of the question. The terms probably will be a 200-year lease, with privileges of renewal.

Vote to remove Pittsburgh from the political bargain counter.

CONFLICT OF THE HOUSES.

Dalzell on Committee to Investigate Senate's Claims.

WASHINGTON, D. C., Feb. 12.—The ways and means committee today referred the investigation of the right of the treaty-making power to conclude reciprocity agreements affecting duties and revenue without consulting the house of representatives, to a special committee consisting of Representatives Payne, Dalzell and Grosvenor, Republicans, and Richardson and Robertson, Democrats.

Cast a postscriptless ballot.

SOUTHERNERS COMING NORTH.

Whites Move This Way Faster Than the Colored People.

WASHINGTON, D. C., Feb. 12.—The migration known section of the United States is dealt with in an official statement issued by the census bureau, which says:

"The migration northward of southern whites, while increasing in absolute amount, has relatively declined. The migration northward of colored persons has increased rapidly. The northward migration of southern white, however, is still nearly three times as great in absolute amount, and nearly one and a half times as great relative to the population from which it comes, as the northward migration of the colored, a difference probably due in part to the better economic position of the southern whites, and in part to the fact that the center of population of that class is nearer the border."

Vote against the giving away of public franchises.

NO AMENDMENT ALLOWED.

House Leaders Opposed to Mutilation of War Revenue Reduction Bill. Senate Riders Possible.

WASHINGTON, D. C., Feb. 12.—(Special.)—"We would rather have two minutes for amendment than two days for debate," meekly said Representative Richardson of Tennessee, Democratic leader of the house, today, in discussing the prospect for consideration of the war reduction bill in the house next week. There are some other Democrats in the house who are of the same opinion. They will all have to worry along without the two minutes for amendment, however. Chairman Payne and the Republican leaders have some strong convictions on the question of time.

The bill will be brought up in the house next Monday, under escort of a rule from the committee on rules that will guard the bill from intrusion or attack that will keep its passage from lagging, and finally will put it through on the double quick and get it safely to the senate.

While it is an internal revenue bill in the main, it carries a provision affecting the duty on tea and would be subject to other propositions relating to the customs tariff. The bill will be debated probably two days before a vote is taken.

It is considered unlikely that the senate will agree to the bill in its present form. It is a question, also, whether efforts may not be made to amend the bill with a rider providing for Cuban tariff concessions. No rules in the senate would prevent if the leaders decided to adopt this mode of reaching the Cuban question.

Vote for the right to pay your taxes in time to vote.

THE PENSION ROLL.

Veterans, Their Widows and Dependents Provided For.

WASHINGTON, D. C., Feb. 12.—The following pensions were granted today:

Pennsylvania—William Reed, Pittsburg, $6; Peter H. Zell, Beaver Falls, $12; Andrew J. Campbell, Blairs Mills, $12; Nehemiah M. Brundage, Brownsville, $8; Peter Kinsey, Jr., Johnstown, $17; David Ray, Cooperstown, $24; George L. Smith, Stanton, $16; John R. Kinsley, Cambridge Springs, $10; John S. Swarig, Henrietta, $8; Lewis J. Kimble, Mitchell Creek, $8; John S. Mechanen, Harrisburg, $10; Benjamin F. Cornman, Carlisle, $10; Jacob H. DeHass, Kerrmoor, $8; minor of Jonathan Lohr, Hooversville, $10; Mary Foster, Union Church, $12; Hannah Atkinson, Pittsburgh, $12.

Ohio—Darius H. Petrie, Colebrook, $12; John O. Myers, Louisville, $12; Florence Reed Coatinghan, $10; James T. Shannon, New Athens, $14; James A. Davis, Cambridge, $20; Christena Firebaugh, Lomolton, $8; Elizabeth Roads, Akron, $12.

West Virginia—David Hall, Wheeling, $12; Wilson Keffer, Peyton, $10; Otto H. Michaelson, Charleston, $8; Josiah Welsmantle, Wheeling, $16.

Vote for home rule against Stone rule.

NATIONAL CAPITAL NOTES.

The postoffice of Benwood, W. Va., will be advanced from the fourth class to the third class, a presidential grade, on April 1.

Secretary Root is suffering from a cold, and was compelled to leave his office early this afternoon and go home for medical treatment.

Representative Showalter has recommended the establishment of a new postoffice at South New Castle, to be known as Durkin, and will Patrick Durkin as postmaster.

George S. Morison, an engineer member of the Isthmian canal commission, testified before the senate's committee on interoceanic canals, expressing a preference for the Panama route.

A default understanding has been reached by the river and harbor committee that the river and harbor bill shall be kept down to about $60,000,000, the amount carried by the measure framed and defeated last year.

The postoffice appropriation bill has been practically completed by the house committee on postoffices and post roads. It carries $127,-916,568, an increase of $14,133,910 over the current appropriation, and of $8,185,000 over the estimates.

Senator Penrose introduced in the senate today a bill to pay Mary E. B. Gray of Pennsylvania $10,000, which she claims from the government on account of an invention of her deceased father; also a bill to correct the military records of John Plies and John C. Webb.

In commenting upon the finding of a recent ordinary commission in the Philippines, report of which has just reached the war department, Gen. Chaffee declares for the extermination of the guerrilla bands which have been terrorizing the people of the islands, under orders of the Katipunan society.

Chairman Payne presented to the ways and means committee a brief submitted by the American sugar interests and endorsed by the cane sugar interests, declaring that the recent hearings had shown that sugar is now being made in Cuba at a profit and asking that a special committee proceed to Cuba to investigate.

Vote against padded registry lists.

PRINCE CONVICTED.

Brother of Woman Who Slew Her Husband Found Guilty of Complicity in the Crime.

KANSAS CITY, MO., Feb. 12.—Will Prince was found guilty of manslaughter in the fourth degree this afternoon and his punishment was fixed at two years in the penitentiary. The special charge was complicity in the murder of Philip H. Kennedy, who was shot and killed by his wife, Lulu Prince Kennedy, January 10, 1901.

Philip H. Kennedy married Lulu Prince under compulsion one month before he was killed, but he refused to live with her. His wife's father and two brothers sought to compel him to support her, and because of their threats against him and their demands upon him before the tragedy, acting on the theory that they conspired against his life and influenced Mrs. Kennedy to fire the fatal shots, filed information against them charging them with complicity in the crime, although they were not indicted by the grand jury. Mrs. Kennedy, the first of the Prince family to be tried for the murder, was convicted and given a sentence of 10 years in the penitentiary. C. W. Prince, the father, and Bert Prince, the other brother, are yet to be tried.

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HOOD WANTS TO KNOW WHO THE BIDDERS ARE

President of the Western Maryland Thinks Detailed Information Should Be Forthcoming.

President J. M. Hood of the Western Maryland railroad thinks it would be well for the numerous bidders for the interest of the city of Baltimore and the county of Washington, Maryland, in his road to announce what they will give for it and who the persons backing them are. This, he says, will require at least a fortnight for completion.

"If any of the would-be purchasers," he says, "are willing to pay a good round sum for the people's interest in the system, will guarantee the construction of the Western Maryland Tidewater railroad, and will establish connections westward with important railroad and coal interests, as at least one of the parties would seem to be in a position to do, then, of course, all obstructive legislation should be stayed until the matter has been thoroughly developed, considered and passed upon by the city and county authorities."

George R. Gaither of Baltimore, one of the city directors of the Western Maryland and a prominent attorney, has sent his resignation as director to the mayor of Baltimore. Mr. Gaither says he does this because he represents one of the bidders for the road, and is, therefore, not in a position to act as a disinterested representative of the city. He says that the plans of his clients are perfected and that their bid will be made as soon as some person is authorized to receive bids for the road.

Cast a vote for the freedom of Pittsburgh.

Vanderbilt Changes Effective.

The changes in the officials of the Vanderbilt roads recently announced took place yesterday. P. S. Blodgett left the office of general superintendent of the New York Central to become general manager of the Lake Shore & Michigan Southern. W. C. Brown, vice president and general manager of the Lake Shore, became third vice president of the New York Central, and A. H. Smith, general superintendent of the Lake Shore, became general superintendent of the New York Central. W. H. Marshall became in turn general superintendent of the Lake Shore. He advances to the position from the superintendency of the motive power department. It is understood that F. H. Ball will succeed Mr. Marshall.

Vote against the use of public patronage to corrupt and intimidate voters.

H. B. ROGERS,
Traveling Freight Agent of the Santa Fe.

Pennsylvania Offers Accepted.

Formal approval of the Pennsylvania railroad's proposals has within the past two days placed the control of several hundred more miles of track in that company's possession. The Schuylkill & Juniata and the Pennsylvania & Northwestern have been offered to the Pennsylvania, with the approval of more than two-thirds of the stockholders. The Schuylkill & Juniata is a consolidation of the Pennsylvania & Schuylkill Valley, the Nescopeck the North and West branch, the Sunbury, Hazleton & Wilkesbarre and the Sunbury & Lewistown. At the annual meeting of the Pennsylvania railroad March 11, the stockholders of that road will approve the action of the board of directors and thus formally acquire the two roads.

Deed of P. & W. Sale Filed.

The deed of sale of the Pittsburgh & Western has been filed in the office of Recorder Ailing of Summit county, O., at Akron. The deed transfers the Pittsburgh & Western as a consideration of $3,000,000. It is made up in book form and has many pages and bears many seals. The deed will be recorded also in the other counties of Ohio and Pennsylvania through which the line of the Pittsburgh & Western passes.

Notice of Increase Filed.

COLUMBUS, O., Feb. 12.—The Pittsburgh & Lake Erie Railroad Company filed a certificate with the secretary of state today increasing its capital stock from $4,000,000 to $8,000,000.

ROUTE FROM CHESTER THROUGH HOOKSTOWN

Following North Bank of the Ohio New Line Will Run Into Fort Wayne.

The proposed route for the extension of the New Cumberland branch of the Panhandle, up the north side of the Ohio river from Chester, the present terminus, will be by way of Hookstown to Conway. The big yards of the Fort Wayne are at Conway, and it has become very important through the making up of trains there. It lies two miles from Rochester. To reach Rochester directly from Chester would have involved considerable difficulty in passing the Pittsburgh & Lake Erie tracks from Monaca across the river to Beaver.

A new line to the west in connection with the Pittsburgh & Western and the Buffalo & Allegheny Valley division of the Pennsylvania railroad is also to have its terminus at Conway. This line needs two links for completion, and companies to build both are already incorporated. The first link runs from East Brady to Karns City connecting the Pennsylvania with the Pittsburgh & Western. The second reaches from Callery to Conway. In connection with the Chester-Conway extension of the Panhandle a line from Northern Pennsylvania to the southwest is given, avoiding hauling freight through Pittsburgh.

Vote against the system of graft in the administration of public affairs.

Pittsburgher Making a Record.

J. M. Herbert, who a few months ago assumed the management of the Denver & Rio Grande and the Rio Grande Western, two of the more recently acquired Gould lines, is making a great record in railroad operation, according to John R. James, central passenger agent of the Missouri Pacific and Iron Mountain, who returned yesterday from a trip of several weeks over the Gould lines and to the Pacific coast. Mr. Herbert is from this city, where he is well known, although he has been connected with western roads for many years.

Replacing dining rooms along the route entirely by extended dining car service has been a great success on the Gould lines, according to Mr. James. The change has been effected recently by the addition of about 40 new dining cars to the lines. The change does away with many delays in schedules. The new dining cars are all provided with observation platforms.

Break up the system of denying public improvements to wards whose representatives will not take orders from the ring.

COLLECTION FROM AFRICA IS RECEIVED

Carnegie Museum Gets Fine Specimens from Congo Free State.

The Carnegie museum received yesterday from Congo Free State, South Africa, one of the most valuable collections ever shipped to the United States from that territory. It is valued at several thousand dollars, and was purchased by Director Holland from Walther Karl of Matadi, South Africa.

Assistant Director Douglass Stewart has the collection now in charge, and is getting it in shape for exhibition in the museum halls. The articles were shipped from Congo Free State last December and arrived at the museum in perfect condition.

The most valuable specimen in the collection is a carved elephant's tusk. This is of solid ivory and unique in every particular. The tusk is two and one-half feet in length and weighs about 7 pounds. The carvings on it by natives of the Congo Free State show the mode of travel, the native animals, elephant hunters, native trees and the first correct representation of the recently discovered animal in Africa known as the Okapi.

The discovery of this animal was made in Africa about a year ago, and since that time scientific journals all over the world have devoted much space to its description. A carved tooth of a hippopotamus and a young elephant's tusk are also in the collection.

All told there are about 100 specimens in the collection. There are 41 lances or spears, representing the different tribes, swords, knives, executioners' axes, brass bracelets, neck rings, wickerwork shields, bows and arrows of all descriptions. Among the collection of arrows were found six poisoned arrows, used by the natives in war.

J. A. Nesbitt, secretary of the Pennsylvania railroad Young Men's Christian association of Derry, Pa., visited the Carnegie library yesterday for the purpose of studying its cataloguing system. A collection of 600 books has just been ordered by Secretary Nesbitt and Librarian Anderson for the Derry Young Men's Christian association library. These books were purchased by Mr. Carnegie.

Vote against padded registry lists.

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$20 Coats for $12.50—
Lot of Women's Box Coats, half-fitting back, lined throughout with heavy satin—made from fine castor or black Kersey and Unfinished Worsted; also a number of Short Jackets of same materials.

$15 Coats for $10—
Lot of full length Oxford Gray Raglans, half lined, yoke, half-fitting and box backs.

$35 Blouses for $22.50—
Fine Velour Blouses, handsomely jetted and braided, reduced as above.

Girls' Coats at $7.50—
Lot of Girls' full length Coats in tans, reds and blues, sizes 6 to 12 years; reduced from $12.50.

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Embrace the overproductions and season remainders of the largest Clothing manufacturers of the country.

Boys' $3 to $4 Clothing—Including Boys' All-Wool Double-Breasted Suits—3-Piece Suits—Russian Blouse Suits—Sailor Suits—Boucle Reefers—Covert Cloth Reefers—Medium Weight Overcoats, etc.—all go at $2

All-Wool Pants—Boys' All-Wool Cheviot and Cassimere Knee Pants, with good waistbands—also Heavy Blue Pants—sizes 5 to 16—would be cheap for 50c, go at 25c

Boys' $5 to $7 Clothing—Embracing Boys' Serge and Cheviot Sailor Suits—Russian Blouse Suits—Norfolk Suits—Two and Three-Piece Dress Suits—Finest Chinchilla Reefers—Oxford Overcoats, etc.—worth $6 to $8 go today at $3

Youths' Clothing—Young Men's All-Wool Blue and Black Cheviot or nobby Mixed and Fancy Worsted Suits—also Overcoats—worth $8 to $10 today at $3.75

The Baby

Dresses—Children's nice heavy Flannelette Dresses in stripe—yoke nicely braided—sizes 1 to 5 years—at 11c

Children's Mother Hubbard style Dresses—in pretty stripes or plain colors—three 6 mos. to 4 yrs.—at 50c

Drawers—Children's good Muslin Drawers—sizes 1 to 10 years—at 5c

Aprons—Children's White Lawn or Fancy Gingham Aprons—sizes 2 to 10 years—at 25c

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Sec. 3. The department of public safety shall have and is hereby given power and authority in case of any disorder, drunkenness, disturbance or annoyance of any kind in any such room or rooms or house so licensed to enter the same and to cause any billiard, pool or billiards are played and to arrest on view all persons acting in a disorderly manner or in such a way as to disturb the public peace; and the department of public safety shall have and is hereby given the right, power and authority to close any such licensed place violating the provisions of this ordinance, and shall also have the right and power to revoke and annul such license.

Sec. 4. Every person engaged in keeping an unlicensed public pool or billiard room shall be subject to a fine of not less than twenty-five nor more than one hundred dollars for each and every day such room or rooms that shall be kept open and in operation; which fine or fines shall be recovered summarily before any alderman or police magistrate of said city; all fines so recovered shall be paid into the treasury of the city of Allegheny for the use of said city.

Sec. 5. Every person violating any of the provisions of this ordinance and regulations thereof or shall fail to comply with its terms and conditions shall be subject to a fine of not less than five dollars nor more than twenty-five dollars for each and every offense, and in default of payment of said fine and costs shall be committed to the common jail of Allegheny county or to the Allegheny county workhouse, for a period of not more than thirty days.

Sec. 6. That so much of any ordinance as may conflict with or be supplied by the foregoing be and the same is hereby repealed.

Ordained and enacted into a law in councils this 4th day of February, A. D. 1902.

GEORGE W. SNAMAN,
President Pro Tem. of Select Council.
Attest:
LAFAYETTE WILLS, City Clerk.
JOHN M. GOEHRING,
President of Common Council.
ROBERT DILWORTH, City Clerk.
City Recorder's Office, City of Allegheny, February 5, A. D. 1902. The above ordinance examined and approved.
J. R. MURPHY,
City Recorder.

(No. 270.)

AN ORDINANCE—To suppress, restrain and regulate pool and billiard rooms in the city of Allegheny.

Section 1. Be it ordained and enacted by the select and common councils of the city of Allegheny and it is hereby ordained and enacted by the authority of the same, That the department of public safety of the city of Allegheny shall have and is hereby given the power and authority to license upon the payment of the fee of fifty dollars annually public pool rooms and billiard rooms within said city, and that each and every person, firm or corporation owning and operating, or operating a public pool or billiard room shall apply in writing to the superintendent of the bureau of police for a license therefor, setting forth in his, her or their application fully and specifically his, her or their nationality, previous occupation, place of location of pool or billiard room proposed to be used, the number of tables to be used, the number of rooms and whether the whole or part of such house is to be used for such purpose, and such license when granted shall be approved by the director of the department of public safety and posted in a conspicuous and public place in the premises so licensed.

Sec. 2. No person under 18 years of age shall be permitted to participate in or play pool or billiards in any room licensed hereunder, and licensed bar shall maintain or permit to be played in any house so licensed between the hours of 12 o'clock midnight and 6 o'clock a. m. nor shall any house permit drunken or disorderly persons to congregate or remain on the premises for which such public license is granted.

OFFICIAL—ALLEGHENY.

(No. 270.)

AN ORDINANCE—Locating and extending an unnamed twenty (20) foot alley in the Eleventh ward, from the southerly line of Sheriff street to Brighton road, of a width of twenty (20) feet, according to accompanying plan, and is herein described.

Section 1. Be it ordained and enacted by the select and common councils of the city of Allegheny, and it is hereby ordained and enacted by the authority of the same, That an unnamed twenty (20) foot alley in the Eleventh ward, from the southerly line of Sheriff street to Brighton road, be and the same is hereby located and extended of a width of twenty (20) feet, according to accompanying plan. The center line thereof being described as follows: Beginning on the southerly line of Sheriff street, at a point eighty-eight (88) feet four (4) inches eastwardly from the easterly line of McDonald street, thence northwardly parallel with McDonald street two hundred (200) feet more or less to the westerly line of Brighton road.

The damages caused thereby and the damages caused by the grade thereof and the laying out, widening and opening thereof, be assessed and collected in accordance with the acts of assembly in such cases made and provided.

Sec. 2. That so much of any ordinance as may conflict with or be supplied by the foregoing be and the same is hereby repealed.

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GEO. W. SNAMAN,
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(No. 272.)

AN ORDINANCE—To suppress, restrain and regulate pool and billiard rooms in the city of Allegheny.

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Sec. 2. No person under 18 years of age shall be permitted to participate in or play pool or billiards in any room licensed hereunder, and licensed bar shall maintain or permit to be played in any house so licensed between the hours of 12 o'clock, midnight, and 6 o'clock a. m. nor shall any house permit drunken or disorderly persons to congregate or remain on the premises for which such public license is granted.

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Sec. 3. The department of public safety shall have and is hereby given power and authority in case of any disorder, drunkenness, disturbance or annoyance of any kind in any such room or rooms or house so licensed to enter the same and to cause any billiard, pool or billiards are played and to arrest on view all persons acting in a disorderly manner or in such a way as to disturb the public peace; and the department of public safety shall have and is hereby given the right, power and authority to close any such licensed place violating the provisions of this ordinance, and shall also have the right and power to revoke and annul such license.

Sec. 4. Every person engaged in keeping an unlicensed public pool or billiard room shall be subject to a fine of not less than twenty-five nor more than one hundred dollars for each and every day such room or rooms that shall be kept open and in operation; which fine or fines shall be recovered summarily before any alderman or police magistrate of said city; all fines so recovered shall be paid into the treasury of the city of Allegheny for the use of said city.

Sec. 5. Every person violating any of the provisions of this ordinance and regulations thereof or shall fail to comply with its terms and conditions shall be subject to a fine of not less than five dollars nor more than twenty-five dollars for each and every offense, and in default of payment of said fine and costs shall be committed to the common jail of Allegheny county or to the Allegheny county workhouse, for a period of not more than thirty days.

Sec. 6. That so much of any ordinance as may conflict with or be supplied by the foregoing be and the same is hereby repealed.

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Sec. 2. No person under 18 years of age shall be permitted to participate in or play pool or billiards in any room licensed hereunder, and licensed bar shall maintain or permit to be played in any house so licensed between the hours of 12 o'clock, midnight, and 6 o'clock a. m. nor shall any house permit drunken or disorderly persons to congregate or remain on the premises for which such public license is granted.

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Sec. 4. Every person engaged in keeping an unlicensed public pool or billiard room shall be subject to a fine of not less than twenty-five nor more than one hundred dollars for each and every day such room or rooms that shall be kept open and in operation; which fine or fines shall be recovered summarily before any alderman or police magistrate of said city; all fines so recovered shall be paid into the treasury of the city of Allegheny for the use of said city.

Sec. 5. Every person violating any of the provisions of this ordinance and regulations thereof or shall fail to comply with its terms and conditions shall be subject to a fine of not less than five dollars nor more than twenty-five dollars for each and every offense, and in default of payment of said fine and costs shall be committed to the common jail of Allegheny county or to the Allegheny county workhouse, for a period of not more than thirty days.

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City Recorder's Office, City of Allegheny, February 5, A. D. 1902. The above ordinance examined and approved.
J. R. MURPHY,
City Recorder.

(No. 274.)

AN ORDINANCE—Establishing the grade on an unnamed fifteen (15) foot alley, Fifteenth ward, from Riverview avenue to S. G. Porter's north line.

Section 1. Be it ordained and enacted by the select and common councils of the city of Allegheny, and it is hereby ordained and enacted by the authority of the same. That the grade on an unnamed fifteen (15) foot alley, Fifteenth ward, from Riverview avenue to S. G. Porter's north line, be and the same is hereby established as follows:

Beginning at a point where the center line of an unnamed fifteen (15) foot alley, Fifteenth ward, intersects the north line of Riverview avenue, at an elevation four hundred sixty-four and fifteen hundredths (464.15) feet above city datum; thence ascending at a rate of eighty (80) feet per hundred (100) feet for a distance of one hundred thirty-one and twenty-nine hundredths (131.29) feet to S. G. Porter's north line, elevation four hundred seventy-four and sixty-five hundredths (474.65) feet above city datum.

Sec. 2. That so much of any ordinance as may conflict with or be supplied by the foregoing, be and the same is hereby repealed.

Ordained and enacted into a law in councils this 4th day of February, A. D. 1902.

GEO. W. SNAMAN,
President Pro Tem. of Select Council.
Attest:
LAFAYETTE WILLS, City Clerk.
JOHN M. GOEHRING,
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ROBERT DILWORTH, City Clerk.
City Recorder's Office, City of Allegheny, February 5, A. D. 1902. The above ordinance examined and approved.
JOHN R. MURPHY,
City Recorder.

(No. 275.)

AN ORDINANCE—Establishing the grade on an unnamed fifteen (15) foot alley, Fifteenth ward, from Riverview avenue to S. G. Porter's north line.

Section 1. Be it ordained and enacted by the select and common councils of the city of Allegheny, and it is hereby ordained and enacted by the authority of the same. That the grade on an unnamed fifteen (15) foot alley, Fifteenth ward, from Riverview avenue to S. G. Porter's north line, be and the same is hereby established as follows:

Beginning at a point where the center line of an unnamed fifteen (15) foot alley, Fifteenth ward, intersects the north line of Riverview avenue, at an elevation four hundred sixty-four and fifteen hundredths (464.15) feet above city datum; thence ascending at a rate of three and thirty-three hundredths (3.33) feet per hundred (100) feet for a distance of fifteen (15) feet to a point, elevation four hundred seventy and sixty-five hundredths (470.65) feet above city datum; thence descending at a rate of eighteen (18) feet per hundred (100) feet for a distance of one hundred forty-four (144) feet to the south line of Porter street, elevation one hundred twenty-six and forty-eight hundredths (126.48) feet above city datum.

Sec. 2. That so much of any ordinance as may conflict with or be supplied by the foregoing, be and the same is hereby repealed.

Ordained and enacted into a law in councils this 4th day of February, A. D. 1902.

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LAFAYETTE WILLS, City Cl